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**GRAPHIC STORIES OF ESCAPES FROM FLOODS IN N.Y. STATE**

**FLOODS IN CHINA**  
**ENTIRE CITY OF HANYANG SUBMERGED**  
**YELLOW RIVER RISING**  
**YANGTZE THREATENS TO OVERFLOW ITS BANKS**

Nanking, To-day.

In addition to the Yangtze flood which is threatening, a rise is reported in the level of the Yellow River. Two tributaries of which have burst their banks in consequence of torrential rains. The city of Yensze, 50 miles to the west of Chengchow in Honan, is endangered by torrents battering the walls which may at any moment collapse.

The Yellow River embankment at Wuchi, Northern Honan, has been breached, causing the displacement of the railway service.

Hundreds of houses in Hanyang, Southern Honan, have collapsed on account of the floods from the Pai River.

**HANYANG INUNDATED**

Hankow, Later.

The entire city of Hanyang is submerged to a depth of several feet of water, following the collapse of a number of dykes. — Reuter.

**TOWNSHIP WIPED OUT**

A later message states that over 1,000 persons are reported to have been drowned when the township of Yencheng, Honan, was wiped out by the floods. — Reuter.

**MACEDONIAN TERRORISM TO BE STOPPED**  
**22 ARRESTS MADE IN SOFIA**  
**IMRO MEMBERS ACTIVE**

**— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL**

Sofia, To-day.

Twenty-two persons were arrested yesterday by the political police, 20 being ex-members of the Macedonian revolutionary terrorist organisation Imro, which was dissolved last year. Among those arrested are the Wojewode, that is, the local administrator, and Pezo Trajkoff, one of the best-known leaders of the Protogeroff wing of the Macedonian Imro.

The ex-Communist member of the Sobranje, Scheleskoff, and the peasant leader, Stefan Popoff, have also been imprisoned.

The arrests are regarded here as proof that the Government is determined to prevent the reappearance of Macedonian terrorism. — Trans-Ocean Service.

**FATALITY ON RAILWAY TRACK NEAR BORDER**

A man was killed when knocked down by the 450 p.m. K.C.R. express to Canton yesterday. When nearing Low U, a village near Sham Chun, four men were seen to cross the railway track. The last man, however, was not seen enough and was knocked down. Both his legs and arms were severed.

**SUPREME PONTIFICAL ORDER FOR PRESIDENT LEBRON**

Distinction Bestowed For Good Confidence With The Vatican

**— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL**

Paris, To-day.

President Lebron has been invested by the Pope with the Grand Collar of the High Order of Christ, it being stressed that this distinction, which is the supreme Pontifical Order, is only bestowed when good confidence with the Vatican exists.

Minister Marin and the French Ambassador at Rome have received the Grand Cross of the Order of Pius. — Trans-Ocean Service.

**GERMAN NAVAL EXPANSION NOT AFFECTING U.S.**  
**SWANSON OUTLINES POLICY**

**CONSTRUCTION TO BEGIN IN JANUARY 1937**

Washington, To-day.

Mr. Claude A. Swanson, Secretary to the Navy, announcing the naval construction programme, said that the United States Navy intended to proceed under the Washington and London naval treaties as long as the other signatories stayed within their treaty limits. Germany's decision to increase her naval strength was a European affair and did not affect the American plans.

Mr. Swanson explained that under the Vinson Act 36 destroyers and 18 submarines were required to bring up the United States fleet to treaty strength by 1942. No decision had been reached on the proposal to replace one of the seven battleships which would be over-age on the expiration of the Washington Treaty.

He added that construction of the planned vessels would begin on January 1, 1937. — Reuter.

**JAPANESE NAVAL APPROPRIATION**  
**\$10,000,000 Increase Demanded**

Tokyo, To-day.

An increase of approximately \$10,000,000, or 39 per cent. above the current figure, is asked in the draft departmental estimates for the Navy for next year. The Finance Minister will undoubtedly try to whittle down many of the demands, but the Navy Minister is expected to stand firm, due to the recent changes in the naval situation. — Reuter.

**REBEL CRUISERS IN SHANGHAI**

**Adm. Chan's Report Awaited**

Shanghai, To-day.

The Chinese press reports that the Hai Chi and Hai Shen will be arriving at Woosung to-day with Admiral Chan Chak on board. Admiral Chen Shao-kuan is at Shanghai, awaiting Admiral Chan Chak's report. — Reuter.

**ANTI-HAPSBURG LAW REPEALED**

Vienna, To-day.

The law repealing the banishment of the Hapsburgs and restoring their property was adopted unanimously yesterday by the Austrian Parliament. — Trans-Ocean Service.

**ABYSSINIA APPEALS FOR MUNITIONS**

**War Danger Declared To Be Imminent As Italy Prepares**

**NOTES HANDED TO VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS DEMANDING ABOLITION OF EMBARGO**

**— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL**

Addis Ababa, To-day.

Identical notes have been handed by the Government here to the diplomatic representatives of France, England, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Sweden, and Denmark demanding the raising of the ban by these countries on the delivery of munitions.

The notes emphasise the necessity of the import of arms for Abyssinia, since the danger of war is imminent and Signor Mussolini as well as the Italian press declarations openly refer to a campaign of conquest.

**NO BRITISH EVACUATION**

A Reuter's message from London states that it is learned that no special arrangements have so far been made to evacuate British subjects from Abyssinia, as the British authorities do not consider that circumstances yet warrant it.

At the same time a grave view is naturally taken in London regarding the developments in the dispute, and the Government is continuing its efforts in a discussion with the French Government to find a way of promoting a peaceful settlement, but beyond this the consultations have not gone.

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**RESTORATION OF GREEK MONARCHY HIGHLY PROBABLE**

**Ex-King George Grants Interview**

**"AU REVOIR IN ATHENS"**

**— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL**

Paris, To-day.

"Au revoir in Athens," ex-King George of Greece is reported to have said at the close of an interview granted to a representative of the Paris-Sort. This pronouncement, which has attracted widespread notice, is remarkable as being the first utterance of the ex-king in which he expresses the hope of returning to Greece at a not too far distant date.

This relaxation of his habitual reticence is doubtless the outcome of the announcement by the Greek Government that the plebiscite on the restoration question has definitely been fixed for November 15. Moreover, the Deputy Premier and War Minister, General Kondylis, frequently called the "Strong man of Greece" and formerly a Republican, declared himself a few days ago an advocate for the return of a monarchical form of government, so that the likelihood of a restoration seems considerable.

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**Two Further Incidents Are Reported**

Rome, To-day.

The Italian Minister at Addis Ababa has formally protested to the Abyssinian Government with regard to two further alleged Italo-Abyssinian incidents.

The first occurred last Sunday, when the Italian Consul at Harar was motoring to Diredda. The car was stopped with menaces by a number of Abyssinian soldiers, including an officer.

The second occurred the next day, when an Italian soldier attached to the Italian Consulate at Harar was stoned and maltreated by Abyssinian soldiers. — Reuter.

**WEATHER REPORT**

A moderate anticyclone covers North Japan and the adjacent seas, and a ridge of moderately high pressure extends from there to south-east China. A trough of relatively low pressure extends from Indo-China to North Luzon. East and south-east winds, moderate; fair, was the forecast for to-day as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

**Prince Regent Paul To Pay Visit To King Carol**

Bucharest, To-day.

The date of the arrival here of the Prince Regent Paul from Yugoslavia has now definitely been fixed for tomorrow. M. Titulescu is expected to reach the Royal Palace of Sinaia to-day, when he will report to King Carol on the result of his deliberations in Paris and London. Tomorrow King Carol will give a luncheon for Prince Paul at Sinaia, when all the members of the Romanian Government will be present.



It is confidently expected that ex-King George of Greece will shortly be recalled by his people. The plebiscite on this question having been fixed for November 15.

**APPEAL FOR FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION**

**Fate Of World Depends On New York, Paris And London**

**BANK OF FRANCE GOVERNOR DECLARES FRANC WILL BE DEFENDED**

Paris, To-day.

The fate of the world depends in a large measure on close financial co-operation between New York, London, and Paris, declared M. Jean Tannery, Governor of the Bank of France, when speaking at a luncheon to the American Club yesterday. "We are determined to defend the franc against all attacks, and have the means to do so," he added.

M. Tannery advocated the general stabilisation of currencies to restore security and provoke the recovery of business, and to stimulate international transactions. — Reuter.

**DISCOUNT RATE LOWERED BY BANK OF SPAIN**

Madrid, to-day.

The Bank of Spain has reduced the discount rate from 5½ to 5 per cent. The last change was on October 25, 1934. — Trans-Ocean Service.

**CUBAN TOWN ON FIRE**

Washington, To-day.

The Navy Department has ordered a destroyer to proceed at full speed to Cuba, where the town of Baracoa, which is inaccessible except by sea, is reported to be on fire and threatened with destruction. — Reuter.

A later message from Washington states that the Navy Department, at the request of the Cuban authorities, has cancelled the order for a destroyer to proceed to Baracoa. It is assumed that the situation has improved. — Reuter.

**THE ADVENTUROUS "ROMANCE"**

**STORMY VOYAGE TO YOKOHAMA**

**BOAT STANDS UP TO "WICKED" SEAS**

In a letter to a friend in the Canadian Pacific Railway, Captain E. P. Green, writing from Yokohama on July 4, reporting the arrival of the Romance there on June 29, states: —

"We had a very stormy passage from Hong Kong and put in for shelter twice. We had two gales, force 10, one ahead and one favourable. In this I ran for some hours but owing to a precipitous sea had to heave to, and she behaved splendidly. Part of the time running we were doing 10 knots. Yokohama is doing as well. The engine is now all adrift for a good clean and overhaul. In a day or two I am going in to dock for a scrub and all being well, hope to call for Vancouver about July 14. I consider Romance as the best sea boat I ever put to sea. She never once took a green sea. At this time of the year is a de-though we had many days with green, but 64 degrees was never reached. It was caught at 1 and yesterday. — British Wireless Service.

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**31 VICTIMS OF HEAT WAVE IN WESTERN STATES**

**Shade Temperature Of 109 In Three States**

Kansas City, To-day.

A scorching heatwave in the Western States has caused seven deaths in Texas and Oklahoma. A shade temperature of 109 degrees was recorded yesterday in Kansas, Texas, and Missouri.

A later message states that the heatwave death toll in nine States is 31. — Reuter.

**BIG ADVANCE IN ANGLO-CHINESE CO-OPERATION**

**Dual Understanding For Liberty**

**CHINA SOCIETY DINNER IN LONDON**

London, To-day.

A large Sino-British gathering at the dinner of the China Society last night was presided over by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador in London. The guests included Lord and Lady Winterton, Lord and Lady Edingham, Sir Ronald and Lady Macleay, Sir William Llewellyn, Mr. H. G. Wells, and Mr. William Nunn.

Mr. Quo Tai-chi, proposing toast of The Guests, said that they for seven hours before they were rescued. — Reuter.

33 DEATHS REPORTED

New York Earlier.

There have been altogether 33 deaths from the floods, and the damage is estimated at \$25,000,000. The flood waters have now subsided, but vast areas are still submerged.

Paradoxically there is a water shortage due to broken mains which is adding to the distress in many districts. — Reuter.

**SHENG AN PIRATES REFUSED TRIAL**

**Supreme Court Decision At Port Arthur**

**FURTHER APPEAL UNLIKELY**

Dairen, To-day.

The Sheng An pirates have been refused trial by the Supreme Court at Port Arthur, and they are not likely to be appealing further. — Reuter.

A message from Port Arthur dated January 29, 1934, stated that, as an echo of the Sheng An piracy, the Appellate Court had pronounced sentences of death on Captain Hugo "Tubby" Tandien, Arthur Cantich, Walter Muller, and Hendich Westermann; and a sentence of 10 years' imprisonment on George Schroeder.

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**LONDON HEAT WAVE**

**Temperature Reaches 80 Degrees**

London, To-day.

London has been visited by another heat wave, yesterday was the hottest day this month. The temperature reached 80 degrees Fahrenheit, which was three degrees higher than the normal night temperature for this time of the year is 54 degrees, but 64 degrees was recorded at 1 and yesterday. — British Wireless Service.

**DEATH ROLL REACHES 39**

**DAMAGE IS ESTIMATED AT \$25,000,000**

**Rocks Hurtle Down Main Street**

**WOMAN MOTORIST GOES THROUGH GRIM ORDEAL**

New York, To-day.

Graphic stories of escapes from the floods were told yesterday to a representative of "Reuter."

Mayor Trumansburg of New York said that he was outside his bank when a mass of water, wood and rocks roared downhill into the main street. He grabbed a door-handle of the bank and the flood swept over him. A huge log smashed a window in the bank. He leapt to safety through the hole.

A woman motorist, Miss Hazel Provost of Marathon, New York, said that she and a score of other motorists took refuge in the main street of Marathon. As the flood rose they climbed on to barrels and crates. Suddenly a wall crashed down.

She was carried down the street by the torrent and seized a tree. Three others grabbed on to boards and held on for seven hours before they were rescued. — Reuter.

**MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION IN WARSAW**

**President Moscicki's Narrow Escape**

**16 SEVERELY INJURED**

**— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL**

Warsaw, To-day.

Sixteen persons were severely injured by a mysterious explosion which occurred yesterday in the State Chemical Institute, immediately under the private laboratory of the Polish President, M. Moscicki.

In addition to his duties as President M. Moscicki has made a name for himself as a scientist and spends all his spare time in his laboratory. At the time of the explosion, however, the origin of which is being kept secret by the police, the President had just left the laboratory. — Trans-Ocean Service.

**MAJ-GEN. FRANK PARKER TO BE RELIEVED**

Washington, To-day.

The War Department has announced that Major-General Frank Parker will be relieved in November of his command of the Philippine Department. He will be succeeded by Major-General James R. Hatcher, now commanding the 1st Cavalry Division. — Reuter.



## MAIL SCHEDULES

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INWARD MAILS  
FROM EUROPE

Hong Kong (Air Mail ex  
Amsterdam Service) 14

## FROM U.S.A.

July 12  
Carthage 12  
Pres. Grant 12  
Emp. of Asia 12  
Pres. Polk 12

## FROM JAPAN

July 12  
Carthage 12  
Pres. Grant 12  
Durban Maru 12  
Bengal Maru 12  
Rakuyo Maru 12  
Minatogawa 12  
Emp. of Asia 12  
Terukuni Maru 12  
Taiyo Maru 12  
Pres. Polk 12  
General Sherman 12

## FROM SHANGHAI

July 11  
Szechuen 11  
Conte Rosso 11  
Pres. Grant 11  
Carthage 11  
Andre Lebon 11  
Menestheus 11  
Emp. of Asia 11  
Terukuni Maru 11  
Taiyo Maru 11  
Pres. Polk 11  
Bangalore 11  
General Sherman 11

## FROM MANILA

July 12  
Pres. Hoover 12  
Kitano Maru 12

## FROM STRAITS &amp; INDIA

July 14  
Hong Kong 14  
Troilus 14  
Kumangsang 14  
Lyons Maru 14  
Sarpodon 14  
Hakodake Maru 14  
Katori Maru 14

## FROM AUSTRALIA

July 18  
Kitano Maru 18

## OUTWARD MAILS

## FOR EUROPE

July 12  
Carthage (via Marseilles) 12  
Closest Reg. 9 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.  
Conte Rosso (via Brindisi) 12  
Closest Reg. 2.15 p.m. Ord. 3 p.m.  
Emp. of Japan (via Vancouver  
and Siberia) 12  
Closest Reg. 10.15 a.m. Ord. 11 a.m.  
Pres. Hoover (via San Francisco) 12  
Sphinx (via Siberia) 12  
Andre Lebon (Marseilles Mail  
Service) 12  
Closest Reg. 9.45 a.m.  
Ord. 10.30 a.m.

## FOR MANILA

July 12  
Pres. Grant 12  
Emp. of Asia 12  
Taping 12

## FOR SHANGHAI

July 11  
Kaiser-I-Hind 11  
Pres. Hoover 11  
Emp. of Japan 11  
Rakuyo Maru 11  
Sphinx 11  
Tantalus 11

## FOR JAPAN

July 11  
Kaiser-I-Hind 11  
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Rakuyo Maru 11  
Sphinx 11  
Tantalus 11

## FOR STRAITS

July 12  
Carthage 12

## FOR INDIA

July 12  
Carthage 12  
Andre Lebon 12

## FOR U.S.A.

July 12  
Emp. of Japan 12  
Pres. Hoover 12  
Rakuyo Maru 12

## WOMEN'S PAGE

Weather Accessories For  
Summery CreationsSILKS OF THREE COLOURED  
WEAVESTAFFETA CLOAKS FOR THE ASCOT  
FASHION GALA

London. light in weight that it will not crush, the delicate lace or tulle beneath, or the chiffon or tulle shoulder capes.

**Silken Taffeta**  
Moire-Taffeta is one of the most modern of the newcomers in this realm of silken fabrics. In this material, in addition to the play of light and shade, and beautiful colouring, which is seen in the new shot taffetas indicative of next season's colourings, there is a water mark pattern running over it. This enhances the Victorian dignity of the old-world silk which is having such an interesting revival among the leading dress creators in Paris and London.

The plain taffeta, woven in a shot effect in various colour combinations, synchronises with the fashion colours in vogue. A turquoise and cyclamen pink-shot taffeta tones with either of the prevailing fashion colours of the season, the pale turquoise shades, or the soft pastel rose pinks. The effect is achieved by the play of colours and the richness and shimmering lustre of the surface which also tends to reflect the colour of the gown with which it is worn.

Lovely contrasting colours in delicate pastel hues are used in these two-coloured weaves. There are also three-coloured weaves in these new silks. Nigger brown, Etruscan red, and a pale green is one of the most successful of the new colour schemes.

PROTECTING THE  
HANDS FROM  
ROUGHNESSUse Gloves When Doing  
HouseworkSOOTHING SOAP FOR  
SENSITIVE SKINS

Rough hands are usually the result of a lot of house work. To protect them when doing particularly dirty housework make a point of wearing gloves. Also use a good soothing soap when washing your hands, as it works wonders with sensitive skins and is really delightful to use.

## FOR AUSTRALIA

July 18  
Taping (via Thursday Island) 18

## VIA SIBERIA—Letters and post cards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

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SUGGESTIONS ON  
MAKE-UPWhat To Wear With  
Morning Prints

Here are some make-up suggestions given by a famous cosmetic house, for a blonde, a brunette, and an auburn type, to wear with morning prints:

Blonde—Naturolle powder. Invisible make rouge, with "invisible" lipstick.  
Brunette—Rachel make powder. Peche cendree rouge, with medium lipstick.  
Auburn Hair—Rachel make powder. Persian rouge. "Invisible" lipstick.

PARROT GREEN  
CAPESMatches Black & White  
Check Dresses

A cape of parrot green taffeta with front draped to suggest a bow is meant to be worn with an ankle length dress of rather boldly checked black and white taffeta. There is a green sash to match.



A delightful ankle-length gown in shimmering striped satin with a square-cut corsage is shown to advantage by this charming wearer.

## LACQUERED BRASS

Clean With Lemon Juice  
And Silver Sand

## TWO EFFECTIVE METHODS

No cleaner or polish should be used on English lacquered brass. It should be cleaned with lemon juice and silver sand, rinsed well in boiling water and dried by rubbing with a clean towel.

Another excellent method is first to wash it in soapy water; then rinse again in hot water. Rub with lemon and rinse again in very hot water. Polish with a few soft dusters; then a leather.

LATEST FASHION  
CRAZEEnsembles To Match  
Colours In Room

The latest craze this season is to have a dress to go with the colouring of your room. A frock of pale beige chiffon tones perfectly well with the soft creamy beige of the walls.

Brown hair also matches with soft brown curtains. The whole colour scheme, if carried out excellently, is as harmonious as music in a symphony.

## BRIDE'S TROUSSEAU

Jumper Suit Must  
Be Included

A charming jumper suit made in a jersey material with a white silk bow at the neck should always be included in a bride's trousseau, as it can always be worn on all occasions and at any time of the day.

DISTINGUISHING  
NEW STRAWSParibuntal The Most  
Used This Season

## INTERESTING NOVELTY

Modern art and industry have in the course of many seasons brought homely farmyard straw into the realm of the "exotic," giving it perfection of texture, lovely colouring—and many novel names. Many of the summer straws look almost like spun glass, the braid is so highly glazed and exquisitely woven.

Among the "exotic" straws paribuntal is one of the most used in millinery models this season. This is a flat, silky straw, very finely woven. In some of the new models this straw is combined most effectively with pedal straw, the tiny raised ridge of the pedal straw in a braid design on the flat surface of paribuntal.

Rami is a flat, shiny straw, rather like a Dunstable weave. This straw is also very finely woven.

Neora: A fine braid straw. Silky and bright.

Recello: Slightly coarser than Neora but finely woven with a glistening surface.

Split Straw: Like a pedal but finer.

Ballybuntal: Very fine straw, silk stitched.

Baku: Thin and light. Canvas surface.

Sisal: A smooth surfaced, canvas-like straw.

Onion Skin: Satiny bands of thin, flat straw, interlaced in a cross-pattern.

Panama is used for some of the smartest "tailored" models. Many of the finer straws are worked with a silk braid. Others are woven in a plaid effect in two colours.

Then there are the coarser types of straw, mainly known as fancy straws. These, too, are wonderfully supple and follow the highly-glazed fashion. An interesting novelty is a shiny cord straw worked like raffia, very smart and light in weight.

## TAFFETA HATS

Flowers And Feathers  
Used For Trimmings

A hat in taffeta is a fresh note, and it should be draped or quilted, and may even have a touch of embroidery. Both flowers and feathers are used for trimming hats this summer.

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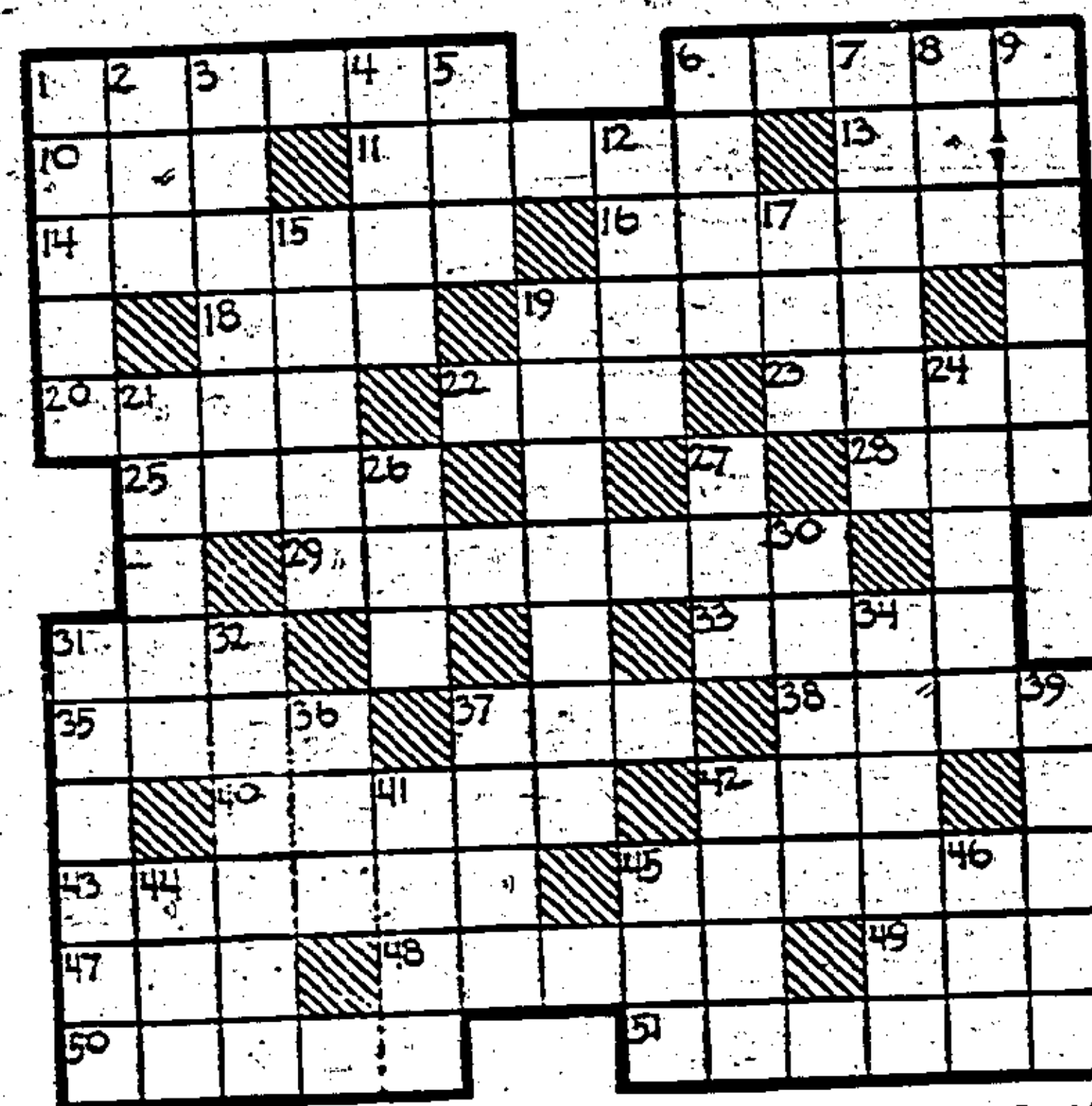
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## OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert

but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



**HORIZONTAL**  
1—Secured a ship  
6—Bower  
10—Dine  
14—Wanders  
15—The shelter  
14—Confirm  
15—Convince  
18—Before  
19—Penetrate  
20—Girl's name  
22—Attempt  
23—Disinfect  
25—Feminine  
26—Tort  
29—Chosen  
31—Taste  
33—Valley  
35—English street car  
37—Portuguese coin  
38—Fatigue  
40—Savory

**HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**  
42—A fool  
43—Occupied a nest  
45—Be indignant  
47—Gold mound  
48—A tower  
49—Fish cage  
50—Mean cowardly person  
51—More compact

**VERTICAL**  
1—Repasts  
2—A grain  
3—Four-legged animal (pl.)  
4—Scottish language  
5—Speck  
6—Assistant (abbr.)  
7—Burets out  
8—Over (contr.)

**VERTICAL (Cont.)**  
9—Covered with reeds  
12—A multitude  
13—Rub out  
17—Look  
19—Constructed  
21—Norse god of the sea  
24—Drunkard  
25—A tree  
27—Gave food to  
28—A tropical fruit (pl.)  
31—Antic  
32—Eaten the prime  
34—Ocean vessels  
36—Small rug  
37—Clears of  
39—One who eats  
41—Summit  
42—In this place  
44—Even (contr.)  
46—Crimson  
46—Noah (Fr.)

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

DRESS TO MAKE  
WOMEN LOOK  
MUCH YOUNGEREnsemble That Takes  
Five Years Off

An ensemble, very simple and easy to wear, with its pointed bodice, puff sleeves, and little turn-down collar, which tying close to the neck in front, is guaranteed to take five years off any woman's age.

With a short cape to match it would make a charming summer outfit. The same effect can also be achieved in a tailored cloth dress, with three epaulettes, on the shoulders, and white lacing in front of the bodice.

## YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

DAILY BILLS  
A NEED BEST  
WE FAR RAP PA  
NAP POEN CAP  
STOP POE BARE  
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### HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Interim Dividend of \$210.00 per Share, subject to deduction of Income Tax, has been declared for the HALF YEAR ending 30th June, 1935, at the rate of 2 1/2% per Dollar.

THE DIVIDEND will be payable on and after MONDAY, 12th AUGUST, 1935, at the offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from MONDAY, 29th July to SATURDAY, 10th AUGUST (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager. Hong Kong, 10th July, 1935.

### CHINESE ESTATES, LIMITED

#### INTERIM DIVIDEND

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND for year ending 29th February, 1936, of two per cent that is \$2 per share, will be paid on all shares in this Company on MONDAY, the 15th July, 1935, at the Company's Office at China Building 5th floor.

The TRANSFER BOOK of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 15th July, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. FUNG PING FAN, Director & Secretary. Hong Kong, 8th July, 1935.

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a card of re-entry to his hand a third club trick and two good heart tricks could have been cashed.

It is obvious that had West opened a spade instead of a heart the defence would have taken six tricks and set the contract two. However, West cannot be blamed for deciding to open the longer of his partner's two suits, particularly since his own holdings in those two suits were practically identical.

## BRIDGE NOTES

### Squeeze At Trick No. 2

By Ely Calbertson

The other day I ran across one of the most novel situations in play which I have ever encountered. East, one of the defensive players, led out a high card at Trick 2 and completely squeezed the dummy, thus preventing the declarer from fulfilling a three-notrump contract despite the fact that nine tricks were cold and both of the opponents' suits were stopped. East's squeezing play forced the declarer to discard one of his sure winners, as if he had retained all of his winners he would have been forced to discard a stopper in one of the opponent's suits.

East Dealer. Neither side vulnerable.

North: S—Q 8 4 H—Q D—A K Q J 6 5 4 C—A K

West: S—9 7 5 H—8 5 4 D—10 8 C—J 10 7 6 5

South: S—10 6 3 H—J 10 9 3 D—9 2 C—Q 8 4 3

East: S—A K J 2 H—A K 7 6 2 D—7 3 C—9 2

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

East South West North 1H Pass Pass 3D 1S (1) Pass Pass 3D Pass 3NT (2) Pass Pass Pass

1—East saw no reason not to show his other suit at the level of one, despite the fact that his partner had passed. 2—South, with a sure heart stopper, and some protection in spades, decided to gamble on three notrump, encouraged by his partner's very strong bidding.

West, on lead against the three-notrump contract, decided to open a heart, knowing that his partner almost certainly held five cards in that suit and only four cards in spades. Dummy's Queen was topped by East's King, and this card naturally held the trick.

East now knew from his partner's lead of the eight-spot, marking the latter with a maximum of three cards in the suit—that South had two sure heart stoppers and accordingly that a heart continuation for the purpose of setting up tricks in that suit would be hopeless. However, East naturally stopped to inspect the dummy and as he inspected it he suddenly realised, to his great joy, that the Gods of Chance had been very good to him on this hand, provided only that his partner held one little ten-spot.

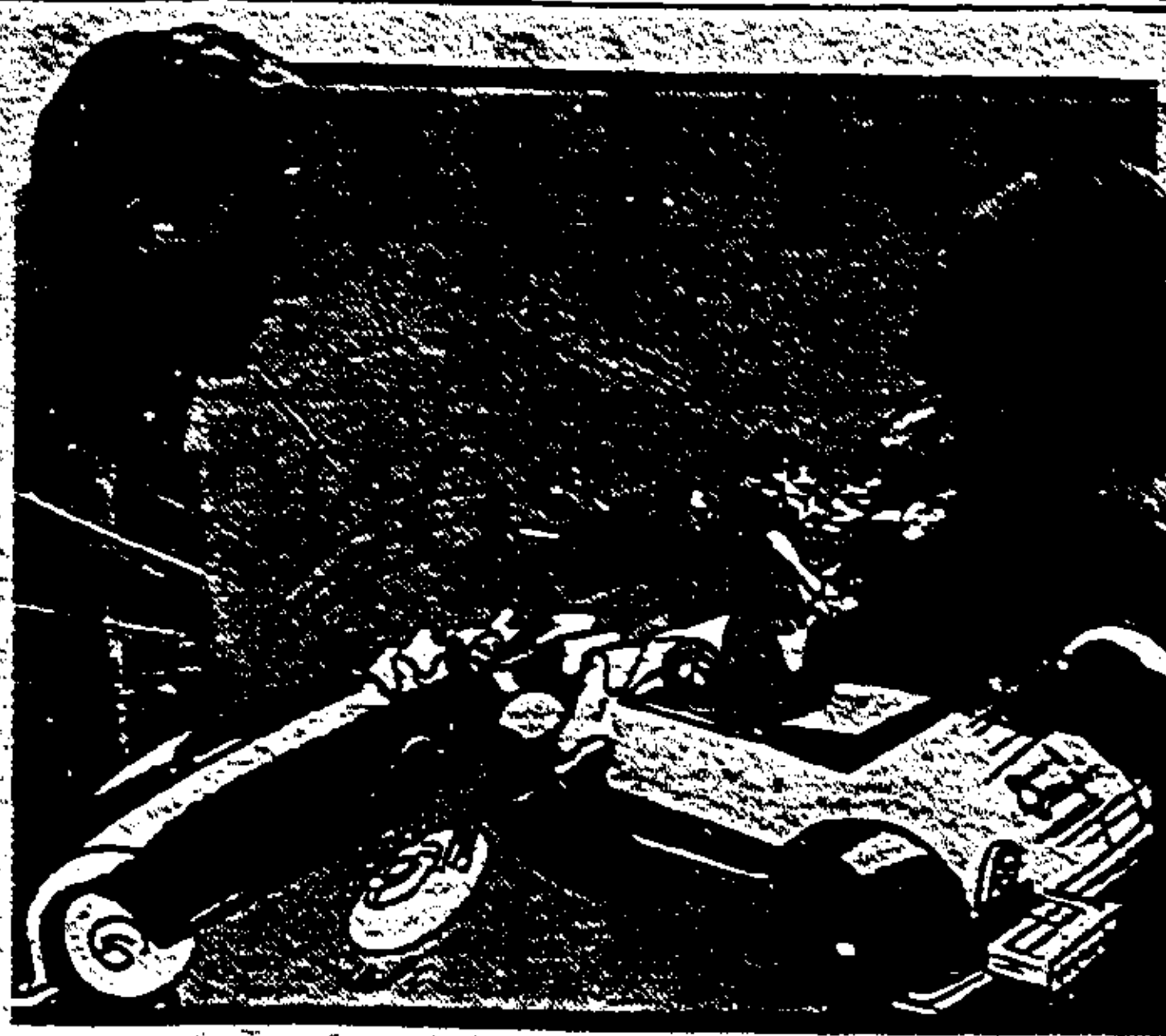
East saw that the dummy had nine sure tricks—seven in diamonds and two in clubs. East further saw that dummy had the spade suit stopped unless the Queen could be led through. But—most important of all—East discovered that the dummy would be in difficulties on a second heart lead. Accordingly East now played his heart Ace, even though he knew this lead would set up two tricks for the declarer.

On the heart lead South followed from his own hand, but was forthwith confronted with the problem of discarding from dummy. He could not discard a spade as he knew East would then be able to run four spade tricks, so he had to discard one of his good diamonds.

East now shifted to a club and then played. All his partner had to have was the diamond ten, guarded only once, and South would be effectively shut out of his own hand. Fortunately for East, his partner did have the diamond ten, and the declarer was helpless. He ran his good tricks from dummy, but was forced to concede the last three spade tricks to the East player, and his contract was defeated one trick.

Had South instead of West held the diamond ten, South would not only have fulfilled his contract, but would have made five odd as with the diamond ten as well as with the diamond ace as well.

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Spencer Tracy is speeding his way, and Wendy Barrie here, in Fox Film's new comedy of misadventures, "It's A Small World." The crash of cars is trifling compared with the crash of the obdurate heart. This exciting film will be screened at the King's Theatre on Saturday week.

## Amusements

### Cinema Notes

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The bed of the ocean has an unusual fascination for most people and in this film their expectations will be fulfilled, for the cameraman must have risked his life on more than one occasion in getting some of the "shots."

The story deals with a search for hidden gold in a sunken submarine. One of the exciting moments of the film is the fight between a diver and a huge octopus. All the panoramas of the sea is presented on the screen by means of pictures taken through the observation glass of a diving bell.

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These articles have been collected by the studio over a period of years, and are valued at several hundred thousand dollars. Never before have all been used in a single picture; and the present instance is said to constitute a remarkable exhibition to collectors quite aside from the interest of the story.

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## RADIO

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.A.)

A TALK ON "HONG KONG'S NEW LIDO"

Z.B.W. Programme

12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Programme

12.30 p.m.—Recorded Music

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down

5.5 p.m.—European Programme

5.5 p.m.—Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations

7.30-7.50 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music

Memmet No. 1 (Paderewski)

Songs without words—Potpourri

The Gate Festival Dance

Honour March (Haydn Wood)

Joyousness—Concert Waltz (Haydn Wood)

Love's Last Word (Grieg)

7.50-7.55 p.m.—

Albert Sandler (Violin)

Carroll Gibbons (Piano)

1. Piano Solos—

Sleepytime down South

Life is just a bowl of Cherries

2. Violin Solos—

Spanish Serenade

The Child and his Dancing Doll

3. Can't we talk it over

Now that You're gone

7.55-8 p.m.—Piano Solos

From the Studio

A Talk on "Hong Kong's New Lido" by J.H.

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report

8.05-10.30 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert

10.30 p.m.—Close Down

10.30-10 p.m.—European Recorded Music from Z.B.W. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles

8.30-9 p.m.—Orchestra No. 2 in D Major (Borodin)

9-9.15 p.m.—A Relay from Davenport

Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter)

9.15-9.30 p.m.—A Recital by Romanina Gigg (Tense)

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#### "CHARLIE CHAN IN PARIS"—STAR THEATRE

The exploits of the famous Chinese detective, which have thrilled millions of cinema audiences all over the world, have been set in nearly every capital city, each picture in the sequence growing more thrilling.

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## INQUEST ON LATE MR. J. T. SCARLETT

### Nervous Breakdown

#### VERDICT OF SUICIDE RETURNED

At the resumed inquiry into the death of Mr. James Thomas Scarlett, acting Engineer-in-Chief of the Chinese Maritime Customs, who was found shot in the Commander's cabin of the Customs Lights tender Hai Hsing on June 29, a verdict that deceased "committed suicide during temporary insanity caused by a nervous breakdown," was returned by the jury at the Central Magistracy yesterday under the Coroner, Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen.

The following jury was empanelled: Mr. A. B. Henry (Foreman), Mr. R. Schmidt and Mr. J. P. Ferreira.

Mr. A. S. Campbell, Commissioner of the Chinese Maritime Customs in Hong Kong, was sitting with the Coroner during the enquiry.

The contents of a letter written by the deceased on the day of his death were not divulged.

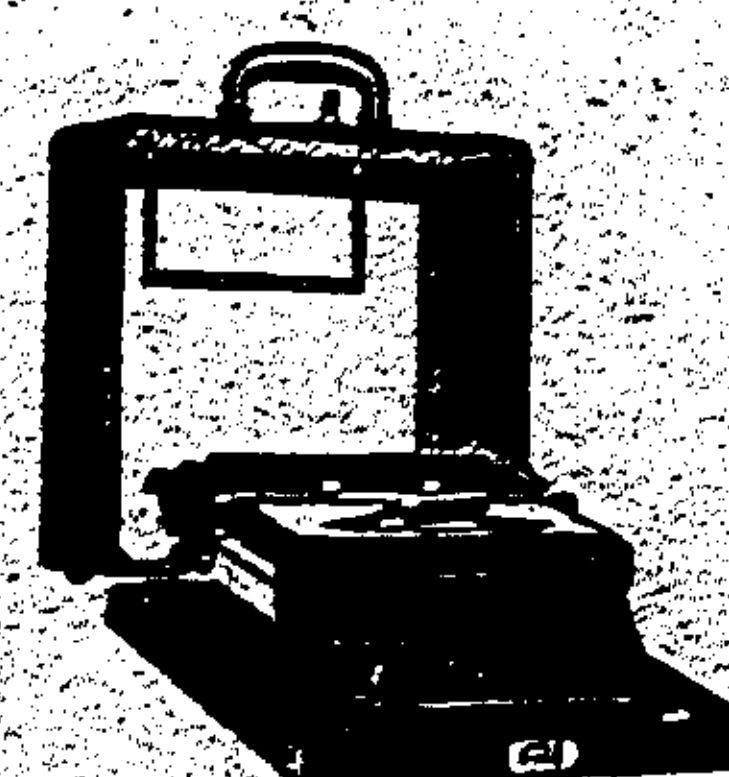
1. All hail, thou dwelling pure and lowly ("Faust") (Gounod).
2. Your tiny hand is frozen ("La Boheme") (Puccini).
3. So Operie, Lucia La Canzone dell'Amore.
4. Addio Bel Sogno.

9.30-10 p.m.—Dance Music. 10 p.m.—Reuter Press Bull. 10.05 p.m.—Close Down.

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# Sporting Page

## CIVIL SERVANTS DEFEAT STRONG H.K.C.C. TEAM IN "B" DIVISION

### THRILLING BOWLS WITNESSED

#### A. M. HOLLAND'S CLOSE SHAVE AGAINST FARREL

#### MATCH DECIDED ON LAST HEAD

(By "Skip")

FOR the second time in this year's Lawn Bowls Singles Championship, A. M. Holland secured his entry into the succeeding round by a single shot. The first occasion was when he defeated A. W. Grimmer, the holder, in the First Round of the competition, while yesterday he beat P. T. Farrell by 21 shots to 20 on the Recreation green after the latter had maintained the lead throughout the game.

Farrell rose to astounding heights yesterday, drawing in through ports and getting the shot when it seemed almost impossible to score, and driving with an accuracy that was amazing. He gave his opponent a far better game than did Grimmer; only missed winning the game by a matter of inches. THE GREEN WAS IN GOOD CONDITION, NOTWITHSTANDING THE HEAVY RAINS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS, AND THE BOWLS REACTED PERFECTLY. HOLLAND WAS INCLINED TO TAKE TOO MUCH GREEN, BUT, APART FROM THIS FAULT, WHICH HE REMEDIED HE PLAYED A GOOD GAME.



Over 200 carefully furrowed sand traps, awaited the slightest off-line shot made in the American National Open by these determined young golfers. Johnny Goodman, left, 1933 winner, who has achieved little lately, was conceded a chance because of his long accurate game. Vic Gherzi, centre, who rates right up behind the top-notchers, was also in the betting. Paul Runyan, right, notoriously a short hitter, found the long fairways at Oakmont more than he could handle, and Sam Parks provided the sensation by winning the title.

### SHUTE AND BARROW IN LIMELIGHT

#### VISITORS TROUBLED BY GLARE AND TURF

#### DALEY AND AGAFUROFF SHINE

(By "Base Line")

SOME fairly good tennis was witnessed at the Valley yesterday, when the Civil Service Cricket Club surprisingly defeated a strong Hong Kong Cricket Club combination by 6½ sets to 2½ in their "B" Division League Lawn Tennis encounter.

The Civil Servants made several changes in their partnerships, Agafuroff pairing with Daley, while Valentine partnered Bentall in the absence of G. Fowler.

THE VISITORS, WHO HAD A FAIRLY STRONG SIDE OUT, WERE HOWEVER, BADLY TROUBLED BY THE GLARE AND BY THE UNSATISFACTORY CONDITION OF THE TURF.

Shute and Barrow were again the mainstay of the Civil Servants and won all their games in a comfortable manner, the former being in deadly form, while Barrow delighted with his single volleying.

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Scores:	
F. L. H. Shute and J. Barrow (C.S.C.C.)	6-0
beat T. C. Monaghan and V. R. Gordon	6-0
beat A. K. Mackenzie and G. S. Gamble	6-1
beat A. C. I. Bowker and R. X. Valentine	6-2
J. Daley and G. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.)	6-1
lost to Monaghan and Gordon	4-6
beat Mackenzie and Gamble	6-1
beat Bowker and Valentine	7-5
R. J. Valentine and J. A. Bendall (C.S.C.C.)	6-6
draw with Monaghan and Gordon	6-6
lost to Mackenzie and Gamble	3-6
beat Bowker and Valentine	6-2

### TO-DAY'S "NEEDLE" TENNIS MATCH IN "C" DIVISION

#### ARMY CHALLENGE TO RECREIO

#### CRAIGENGOWER MAY BEAT KOWLOON C.C.

An exciting match in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League is expected to-day at Soekpoo where the Army Tennis Club entertain the Recreation Club in their "needle" encounter, the result of which will act as a pointer towards the "C" Division championship.

The Army have so far retained their 100 per cent. record. C. E. Xavier and H. Gonsalves will be the most dangerous Recreation pair, and are more than likely to win all three of their sets, while Wilson and King, the first ranking pair from the opposition, are almost as good.

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### POLICE HOLD SOUTH CHINA IN "D" DIVISION

#### Pile And Carruthers Again Shine

#### TANG MAN AND Y. T. LEUNG BEST VISITING PAIR

In a postponed "D" Division League Lawn Tennis encounter at the Valley yesterday, the Police Recreation Club shared the points with the South China Athletic Association.

Scores:—  
P. W. Ho and T. N. Tsang (S.C.A.A.) beat A. L. Tsai and Y. N. Ng 6-1  
beat P. C. Lee and E. S. Cheng 6-1  
lost to K. T. Kwok and Y. C. Lai 4-6  
K. Kwok and H. K. Ho (S.C.A.A.) drew with Tsai and Ng 6-6  
beat Lee and Cheng 6-2  
drew with Kwok and Lee 6-6  
C. P. Ip and E. M. Chan (S.C.A.A.) drew with Tsai and Ng 6-6  
beat Lee and Cheng 6-0  
beat Kwok and Lai 6-1

### SOUTH CHINA BEAT VARSITY IN "B" DIVISION

#### HO AND TSANG IN LIMELIGHT

#### UNDERGRADUATES SHARE THREE SETS

Playing at home yesterday, the South China Athletic Association beat the University by 6½ sets to 2½ in the "B" Division of the Lawn Tennis League.

Scores:—	
W. Ho and T. N. Tsang (S.C.A.A.)	6-1
beat A. L. Tsai and Y. N. Ng	6-1
beat P. C. Lee and E. S. Cheng	6-1
lost to K. T. Kwok and Y. C. Lai	4-6
K. Kwok and H. K. Ho (S.C.A.A.)	6-6
drew with Tsai and Ng	6-6
beat Lee and Cheng	6-2
drew with Kwok and Lee	6-6
C. P. Ip and E. M. Chan (S.C.A.A.)	6-6
drew with Tsai and Ng	6-6
beat Lee and Cheng	6-0
beat Kwok and Lai	6-1

#### "B" Division Table To Date

	G	W	L	D	P	A	Pts
C.B.C.	4	0	0	0	0	2	8
S.C.A.A.	3	0	0	0	0	2	6
H.K.C.C.	4	2	0	0	0	4	10
C.S.C.C.	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
Recreation	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
Police	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
H.K.T.C.	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
P.C.	4	0	0	0	0	4	8
K.C.C.	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
C.B.A.	5	0	0	0	0	5	10

### NEGRO'S NEW WORLD ATHLETIC RECORDS

#### Running Record Aided By Very Strong Wind

New York, July 5.  
A new world record for the broad jump was established to-day by Peacock, a negro, who set a mark of 8.84 meters.  
The negro athlete also set a new world mark for the 100 meters run, but it was not officially recorded because of the wind which favoured the runner.

### V.R.C. BEAT C.B.C. IN OPEN RELAY AT NORTH POINT

#### POOR WATER POLO ENCOUNTER

#### GENERAL TSAI PRESENTS PRIZES

The first swimming gala of the Chinese Athletic Association took place last night at North Point when some very good sport was witnessed.

The Invitation Relay race was won by the Victoria Recreation Club with the Chinese Bathing Club a close behind.

The water polo game between the Royal Artillery and the Chinese Athletic Association was a very ragged affair. The Chinese went all out from the beginning and in less than two minutes were two goals in the lead. Thereafter they did not seem to exert themselves at all.

The Artillery, on the other hand, kept pegging away and managed to reduce the lead through Harris, mid-way through the second half.

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## SUCCESSFUL "Y" TRIANGULAR GALA

### DETROIT BOY WINS NEGRO WORLD LIGHTWEIGHT TITLE

#### Baby Tiger Flowers Takes Count In 8th Round

Chicago, July 2.  
Holman Williams, of Detroit, knocked out Baby Tiger Flowers, of San Francisco, in the eighth round here to-night to win the Negro lightweight championship of the world.  
Tony Canzoneri is the recognized unrestricted title in the 135-pound class. — Associated Press.

### GOOD SWIMMING WITNESSED IN V.R.C. HEATS

#### PRELIMINARY TO SATURDAY

#### EXCELLENT HANDICAPPING

Some very good swimming was seen in the V.R.C. heats which were held yesterday evening before a large number of members and friends.

The handicapping left nothing to be desired and all the events provided close finishes.

The following were the results:—

100 Yards Free Style Handicap (Members "C" Class)	
First Heat:—L. L. Remedios, 2. N. Deira. Time 57 sec.	
Second Heat:—L. M. A. Souza, 2. G. Agabeg. Time 71.3 sec.	
Third Heat:—L. J. J. Figueiredo, 2. J. D. Remedios. Time 72 sec.	
50 Yards Free Style Handicap (Boys under 12 years of age)	
First Heat:—L. E. Jorge, 2. L. Gutierrez. Time 41.3 sec.	
Second Heat:—L. P. Remedios, 2. A. Xavier. Time 49.3 sec.	
75 Yards Medley Race (Boys between 12 and 15 years)	
First Heat:—L. L. Remedios, 2. A. Azedo. Time 62.4 sec.	
Second Heat:—L. A. Gutierrez, 2. R. Marques and J. Botheho (dead heat). Time 76 sec.	

### CAMBRIDGE CRICKET WIN

London, To-day. Requiring 305 in the fourth innings to win, Oxford were dismissed for 109 in the "Varsity" match at Lord's yesterday, thus providing Cambridge with their first win since 1930 and their 45th in the series of 97 matches of which Oxford had won 37. — Reuter.

### MRS. MEADE ESTABLISHES NEW BATH RECORD

#### "Y" SUCCESES IN OPEN EVENTS

#### G. FOWLER'S BRILLIANT WATER-POLO

The first triangular swimming contest held between the European Y.M.C.A., the 1st Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, and the 2nd Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, last night at the "Y" pool, was a wonderful success and provided excellent swimming before a very large gathering of spectators.

One of the many features of the gala was the return of Mrs. Meade to the Ladies' ranks, and her excellent effort in the Ladies' 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap, which, although she lost by a touch, she covered in the excellent time of 31 seconds to establish a new bath record.

The soldiers gave spirited performances in all the invitation events, with the exception of the 220 Yards which was won comfortably by the Y.M.C.A. champion, H. G. Lange, who swam with a badly swollen wrist as a result of a water-polo accident the previous day.

The visitors gained their only success in the Invitation Diving which was won by Dmr. Rush, of the Lincoln, who performed very well off the top-board to beat E. F. Selk of the Y.M.C.A. by 2 points.

The 200 Yards relay, of teams of eight, provided tremendous excitement and the result was in doubt until Selk spurred to forge ahead for a three yards lead, which the "Y" gradually lengthened to win by about 10 Yards.

The Lincoln, were a good second, with the East Lancs being almost a length behind.

The first event of the programme, the 50 Yards Free Style Invitation, was won by Reggie Wood, who made his first appearance for a long while owing to a damage ear-drum which was, however, well covered. He won in 29.1 seconds but was extended all the way, Cpt. McCarthy, of the East Lancs, touching the first and second strokes over the line.

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## Joe Louis Signs Terms To Meet King-Levinsky

Chicago, July 3.  
Joe Louis, Detroit's Negro heavyweight threat and recent conqueror of Primo Camera, to-day signed papers to meet King-Levinsky, one-time prominent heavyweight, in a 10-round bout here on August 7.

Because of the nation-wide pugilistic renown which Louis assumed as a result of his six-round win over Camera, anti-

Levinaky, until he was knocked out by Mike Baer last year, was considered one of the toughest of the current crop of heavies. He had never been knocked out in his feet until he met Baer in a four-round exhibition while the then champion was on a barnstorming tour.

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### DAVIS CUP

#### Germany Meeting Czechoslovakia

#### TO-DAY'S ENCOUNTER

Czechoslovakia and Germany will meet in the Final Round of the European Zone of the Davis Cup at Prague to-day. The winners will meet America in the Inter-Zone Final on July 20 for the right to enter the Challenge Round against Britain, the holders for the past two years.

The brand of tennis recently displayed by Baron Gottfried von Cramm, has made Germany favourites for to-day's encounter, though the Czechs are given an outside chance, and the doubles match may decide.

Von Cramm is generally expected to defeat both Roderick Menzel, the Czech captain, and Caska in the singles, but many doubt whether Henkel the No. 2 German, can defeat either of the Czech stars. In the doubles Menzel and Malacek will face Von Cramm and Denker.

The American team, with the odds against them, are hopeful of regaining the Davis Cup and even of Sidney Wood defeating Perry in one singles match. The American Wimbledon titlist in 1931, extended Perry to five sets in the semi-finals last year.

If they reach the Challenge Round, the Americans are moderately confident of winning two matches from Austin with Wood and Wilmer Allison, and are given the edge in the doubles with Allison and John van Ryn, the Wimbledon finalists and conquerors of Hughes and Tuckey, carrying their colours.

### REARRANGED BOWLS FIXTURES

#### Pairs Champions To Play On Monday

The following Bowls Championship fixtures, which were postponed this week owing to rain, have been re-arranged as follows:

Monday, July 15	
M. J. Molins and J. Cramagh v P. J. Jones and A. W. Grimmer (Tallou green)	
Tuesday, July 16	
H. Rosario v J. C. Rosario (Kowloon C.C. green)	
H. Overy v J. C. Rosario (Kowloon C.C. green)	
A. Macintosh v P. E. Knight (Kowloon B.C.C. green)	

Very few of the 26 heads were scattered and on three different occasions Holland had the shot by an eighth of an inch. Holland opened the scoring with a two, but Farrell obtained the lead on the next head with a three and held on to it until the 24th head, when Holland managed to equalise at 18-all.

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Head	Holland	Farrell
1	2	0
2	0	0
3	0	2
4	2	4
5	0	4
6	0	4
7	1	6
8	1	6
9	1	6
10	1	6
11	0	8
12	0	8
13	1	9
14	0	9
15	1	10
16	2	12
17	1	13
18	0	13
19	1	14
20	0	14
21	0	14
22	3	17
23	1	18
24	0	18
25	2	20
26	1	21

### HYDE-LAY GIVEN A FRIGHT

#### RUMJAHN'S PLUCKY DISPLAY AFTER EARLY LEAD

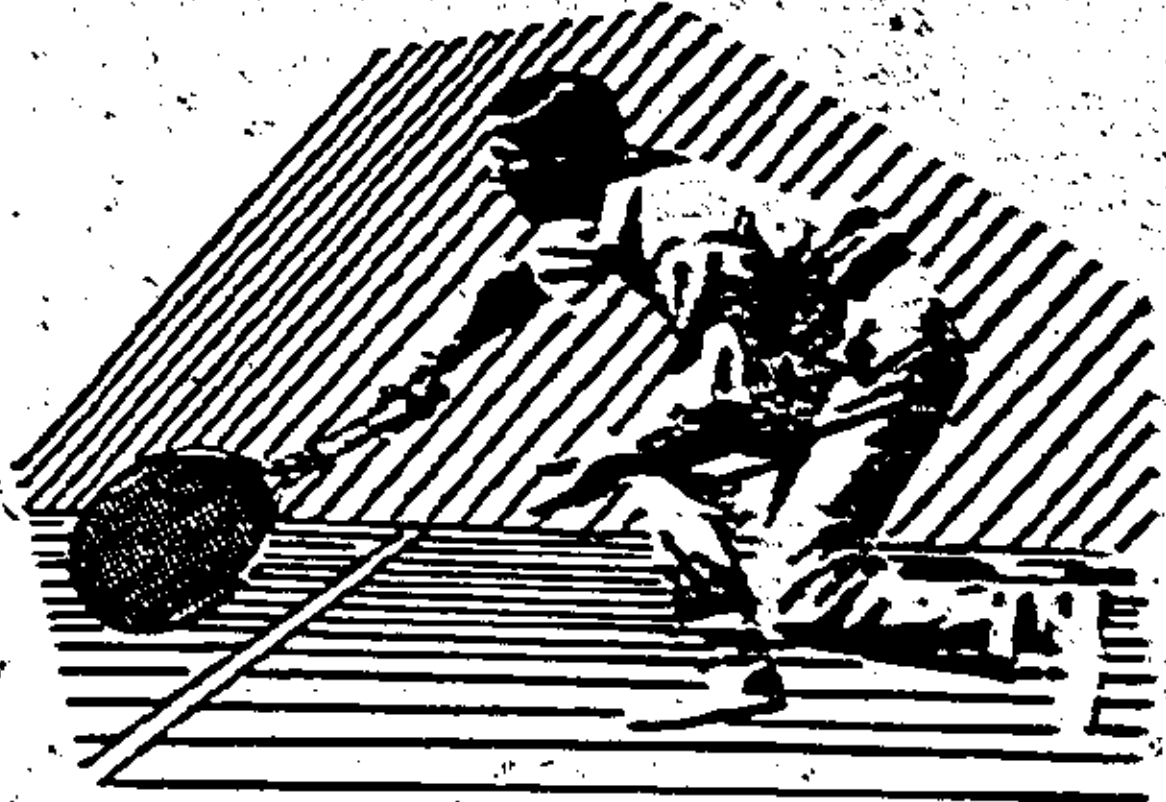
A very exciting game of bowls was witnessed on the Civil Service green yesterday when A. Hyde-Lay, a former Colony champion, defeated A. M. Rumjahn in the Third Round of the Colony Singles championship after being led on the first eight heads.

Hyde Lay took the lead for the first time on the 11th end when he scored a 2 and thereafter maintained his lead, although Rumjahn made a spirited rally on the 18th head only to fall on the last end when the winner lay three.

Heads	A. M. Rumjahn	A. Hyde Lay
1	2	0
2	2	4
3	0	5
4	0	5
5	1	6
6	1	7
7	1	9
8	0	9
9	0	9
10	0	9
11	0	9
12	0	9
13	2	11
14	0	12
15	1	12
16	1	13
17	0	13
18	2	15
19	1	16
20	0	16
21	1	17
22	0	17



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## SUCCESSFUL TRIANGULAR GALA

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## Excellent Race

Another very good race was seen in the Men's 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap, which was won by S. Fowler from his brother, G. H. Fowler, by a touch. The latter only swam in the race to make a fourth man and did extremely well to come second, starting from scratch.

The last event on the programme was the water-polo game between the Y.M.C.A. the winners, and the Lincolnshire Regimental team, who went down by the odd goal in three in a very exciting game. The "Y" team played very good water-polo, the positioning and breaking-away being particularly noticeable.

## Fowler Brilliant

G. H. Fowler was in brilliant form at centre-forward for the "Y" and scored two dazzling goals, his second being one of the best seen in the bath.

The Lincoln's only goal came from Cpl. Chicken, who volleyed a long-throw past the unsuspecting S. Fowler.

The teams were:—  
Y.M.C.A.—S. Fowler, J. Ferrett and A. Wagstaff, W. P. Kerr, E. Goldman, G. H. Fowler and H. G. Lange.

Lincolns—Cpl. Wildy, Pte. Freeborn and Pte. Hope, Cpl. Berriman, L/Cpl. Maclean, Cpl. Chicken, Dmr. Allison.

The results were:—  
Men's 50 Yards Free Style (Invitation)—  
1. R. B. Wood (Y.M.C.A.)  
2. Cpl. McCarthy (E. Lanes)  
3. Lte. Lockett (Lincolns)  
Time 22.1.5 sec.

Ladies' 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap—  
1. Miss M. George  
2. Miss Meade  
3. Miss Lephart  
4. Miss A. Fowler  
Time 40 sec.

## Men's 200 Yards Invitation Relay

(Teams of 8):—  
1. Y.M.C.A. (R. Goldman, G. Fowler, E. F. Selk, H. G. Lange, S. Fowler, A. Wagstaff, J. Ferrett and R. B. Wood.)

2. Lincolns—Cpl. Chicken, Pte. Deeming, L/Cpl. Efford, Dmr. Gutteridge, Pte. Lockett, Dmr. Gray, Pte. Steele and A. N. Other.  
3. E. Lanes—Pte. Hardy, Pte. Taylor, Pte. Smith, L/Cpl. Thorpe, L/Cpl. Gorman, L/Cpl. Mason, Corp. McCarthy, Lt. Genese.  
Time 1 min. 45 sec.

Ladies' 50 Yards Medley (Breast and Free)—  
1. Mrs. Meade  
2. Miss Lephart  
3. Miss A. Fowler  
4. Miss M. George  
Time 38 sec.

Men's 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap—  
1. S. Fowler  
2. G. Fowler  
3. A. Moss  
4. A. Greenberg  
Time 28 sec.

Invitation Diving—  
1. Dmr. Rush (Lincolns)  
2. E. F. Selk (Y.M.C.A.)  
3. Sgt. Malpas (Lincolns)  
4. L/Cpl. Howieson (East Lanes)  
5. R. Goldman (Y.M.C.A.)  
6. Pte. Jenett (East Lanes)  
7. H. G. Lange (Y.M.C.A.)  
8. Pte. Jackson (Lincolns)  
9. Pte. Butterworth (East Lanes)  
10. Pte. Jackson (Lincolns)

150 Yards Members' Mixed Relay—  
Mr. Goldman's team: Mrs. Meade, Miss M. George, G. H. Fowler, A. Moss and A. Wagstaff.  
Mr. Selk's team: Miss Lephart, Miss A. Fowler, E. B. Wood, A. Greenberg and S. Fowler.  
(Dead heat)

220 Yards Invitation Free Style—  
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2. Pte. Butterworth (East Lanes)  
3. Pte. Jackson (Lincolns)

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## JAPAN OR U.S. FOR AQUATIC SUPREMACY?

## MONTANO TROUNCES MIDGET WOLGAST

## FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION NOT IN PICTURE

## FILIPINO HOPES FOR WORLD TITLE CLASH

Sacramento, Cal., July 3.

**S**MALL Montano, Filipino flyweight champion of California, to-night assumed the world's crown, in the eyes of most experts, by badly beating Midget Wolgast, the recognised champion, in a 10-round non-title clash here.

Ring followers pointed out that despite the fact that Wolgast's championship was not at stake, the clever islander, who has yet to lose a bout on the mainland, was well within the 112-pound limit, a weight limit which Wolgast has been unable to make for months.

PABLO DANO, COMPATRIOT OF MONTANO, RECENTLY DECISIONED WOLGAST BY A WIDE MARGIN, BUT NEITHER HE NOR WOLGAST WERE WITHIN THE 112-POUND LIMIT.

Montano revealed it was his intention to seek a bout with Sixto Escobar, of Puerto Rico, in the near future. Escobar is world's bantamweight champion in the eyes of the National Boxing Commission.

However, experts doubted if Montano would be given his chance before Lou Salica, Brooklyn youngster, who recently won that right by beating Dano in a California bout.—United Press.

## SHUTE AND BARROW IN LIMELIGHT

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## Bendall In Form

Valentine and Bendall played well together and, although Bendall commenced shakily, he improved considerably as the encounter proceeded. Bendall was excellent on the forehand and invariably came off best in the long driving duels, while his recoveries on the backhand were at times brilliant.

Daley gave a much improved display on last week, and, together with Agafuroff, shone. The latter has an exceptionally good service, while Daley was playing well.

Valentine showed improvement and gave Bendall sound support.

## A Good Rally

Monaghan and Gordon, after a shaky start, soon settled down and succeeded in taking six games in a row to secure a set off Daley and Agafuroff after the latter had led 3-0.

Gamble and Mackenzie failed to find their length and were continuously over-driving. Gamble was fairly steady, but was obviously troubled by the disconcerting manner in which the ball left the ground, patches of the court being very bad.

## Good Services

Bowker and A. K. Valentine, whose brother was playing in the opposing team, both had excellent services, but were otherwise not up to standard. They were, however, the only pair to give Shute and Barrow any anxiety.

## POLICE RINKS FOR SATURDAY

## Matches Against L.R.C. And Electric

The following will represent the Police R.C. in their senior lawn bowls league encounters against the Indian R.C. and Electric R.C. on Saturday.

Senior Team  
W. McLeod, T. Tallon, F. Nolan and J. Shepherd (skip).  
C. Downman, W. S. Dall, E. G. Post and W. E. Hollands (skip).  
Junior Team  
J. C. S. Fender, G. Perkins, G. Moss and W. McHardy (skip).

A. G. Channing, A. J. Johnson, G. S. Alexander and W. S. Glendinning (skip).  
W. L. Clark, H. Brown, J. B. McWalter and S. Logan (skip).  
L. Glendinning, W. Cameron, A. Wright and A. W. Smith (skip).

## TAKOO BOWLS TEAM TO MEET FOOTBALLERS

The following have been selected to represent the Takoo Recreation Club against the Hong Kong Football Club in the Junior Lawn Bowls League on Saturday.

J. Waid, F. Patterson, W. Cunningham and J. C. Chalmers (skip).  
D. Peoples, A. W. Norris, J. C. Polson and G. E. Stewart (skip).  
W. Brown, S. Pollock, J. Watson and T. F. Stanton (skip).

## C.R.C. OVERWHELM INDIANS IN KEEN "B" DIVISION CLASH

## HON AND LAU IN DEADLY FORM

## ARCULLI AND ABBAS MAKE UNAVAILING ATTEMPT

In spite of spirited resistance from M. R. Abbas and M. el Arculli, the Indian Recreation Club were overwhelmed by the Chinese Recreation Club, who won all nine sets in their "B" Division Lawn Tennis clash yesterday at Caneway Bay.

L. F. Hon and F. K. Lau were the outstanding pair for the Chinese. They combined excellently and gave their opponents very few scoring chances.

Scores were:—  
L. F. Hon and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.) beat M. R. Abbas and M. el Arculli 7-5  
L. F. Hon and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.) beat M. O. Hooser and A. K. Sufiad 6-2  
L. F. Hon and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.) beat A. Rahmin and S. A. R. Bur 6-2  
Y. W. Lee and K. C. Ng (C.R.C.) beat Abbas and Arculli 6-2  
L. F. Hon and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.) beat Hooser and Sufiad 6-2  
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## THRILLING BOWLS ON RECREIO GREEN

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## Moderate Heads

Both players seemed to favour the moderate to full length heads. Holland employed every tactic known to him to get the better of his opponent, but seldom succeeded. On the 20th head, when things were going hard against him, he made it a short one—only just over the flag—in a vain attempt to put Farrell off his length, but Farrell retaliated on the following head to annex a "one".

It looked at this stage of the game as if Holland would have to bow the knee and this belief was strengthened when Farrell reached 20 with his opponent two shots behind.

Holland Strikes Back  
On the next head Farrell sent his bowl wide of its mark, but Holland took advantage of his opportunity by sending up two beautiful bowls to within a foot of the jack. The next head would decide the match and both bowlers were giving nothing away!

Holland found his green with his first bowl, but was a little through. Farrell, on the other hand, was wide, his bowl missing its object by some feet. Holland sent up another to rest his first while Farrell was again wide. Holland attempted to block with his next two, but this was ineffectual and both hands remained open.

With his last bowl Farrell made one valiant effort to save the match and sent up a wood which seemed capable of performing the trick. It did not carry sufficient weight, however, and fell away at the end!

PAIRS MATCH ABANDONED ON 12TH END  
The match in the Fourth Round of the Open Pairs Lawn Bowls Championship at Kowloon Docks yesterday between L. A. R. Duncan and E. Duncan and W. K. Way and A. S. Gomes, last year's finalists, was abandoned after the 12th end owing to poor light, with the former pair leading by 10 shots.

Scores were:—  
Head L. A. R. Duncan W. K. Way and E. Duncan A. S. Gomes  
1 0 0 1  
2 1 1 0  
3 2 3 0  
4 1 4 0  
5 1 5 0  
6 1 6 0  
7 0 6 2  
8 0 7 2  
9 0 7 2  
10 2 9 0  
11 1 10 0  
12 6 16 0

FOOTBALL CLUB BOWLS TEAM FOR SATURDAY  
The following have been selected to represent the Hong Kong Football Club against the Takoo Recreation Club in the Junior Lawn Bowls League on Saturday.

N. Currie, G. S. Graver, E. Tuck and A. Brooksbank (skip).  
G. Stephens, F. P. Anslow, E. J. Edwards and J. Russell (skip).  
A. Stevens, A. Humphrey, A. Jackson and A. Macfarlane (skip).

TAIKOO SENIOR RINKS FOR SATURDAY  
The following have been selected to represent the Indian Recreation Club against the Police Recreation Club in the Senior Lawn Bowls League on Saturday.

M. R. Abbas, S. M. Rumsah, M. T. Adal and A. O. Mado (skip).  
A. H. Rumsah, M. el Arculli, D. Khan and A. M. Waiab (skip).  
J. Hooser, A. M. Rumsah, S. O. Box and A. E. Minn (skip).

## RECREIO SWAMP CENTRAL BRITISH IN "B" DIVISION WIN ALL NINE SETS

## YATSKIN AND WHITLEY GIVE PLUCKY DISPLAY

Playing at home yesterday the Club de Recreio beat the Central British Association by 9 clear sets in the "B" Division of the Lawn Tennis League.

This was the C.B.A.'s fifth defeat in as many games.

Scores:—  
A. E. Xavier and A. Rodrigues (Recreio) beat R. Elyth and F. Angus 6-1  
M. Yatskin and N. Whitley 6-2  
J. Wilson and R. Bickford 7-5  
R. Gozane and L. F. V. Ribeiro (Recreio) beat Elyth and Angus 7-5  
Yatskin and Whitley 6-4  
Wilson and Bickford 6-2  
Oliveira and L. Carvalho (Recreio) beat Elyth and Angus 6-3  
Yatskin and Whitley 6-4  
Wilson and Bickford 6-1

THE JAPANESE STARS, WHO HAVE HELD FIRST WORLD RANKING SINCE THEIR SWEEPING OLYMPIC VICTORY OF THREE YEARS AGO, ARE PREPARING FOR THE TEST WITH GRIM DETERMINATION.

NOWHERE WAS THE SENSATIONAL RENAISSANCE OF AMERICAN SWIMMING, WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF SUCH POST-OLYMPIC STARS AS MEDICA, KIEFER, AL FANDE, WEGGE AND FICK, BEEN GIVEN CLOSER ATTENTION THAN IN JAPAN.

This first week of July, the eyes of the Japanese sporting world are fastened on Detroit, where America's best are battling for their national championships and for the right to represent the United States in Japan.

The American team, chosen on the basis of Detroit performances and under the guidance of Yale's veteran coach, Robert H. Kipphut, is expected to reach Yokohama on the Tatsuta Maru on July 30.

Japanese Reserve  
Thus far the 1935 performances of the Americans have far surpassed those of the Japanese, but there is a confidence here that the defenders will have much in reserve.

With the definite purpose of bringing their stars along slowly so that the peak may be reached in August, the Japanese swimming authorities have set back their schedules by more than a month.

But enough has been shown to indicate that from out of the Empire's great resources of swimming talent can be fashioned a team that will give the Americans all they can handle.

The Mamstay  
Makino undoubtedly will be the mainstay of the defenders, the man who must be depended on to stand off the challenge of the mighty Medica, of Jack Gilhula, Peter Flanagan and others in the races from 400 meters to 1500 meters. In practice he is reported to have done 800 meters under 10 minutes on several occasions. He holds the recognised world record at 10 minutes 12 seconds.

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Clark also injured  
London, To-day.—Clark, the Northants fast left-hander, has dislocated a rib as the result of tripping up in his hotel. He will be replaced by Bowes, the Yorkshire fast bowler, at Leeds on Saturday.—Reuter.

Worceham, who had a record increase in receipts due to transfers, last season made a profit of £1,574.

At the conclusion of the swimming the prizes were distributed by General Tsai Ting Kai.

The following were the results:—  
200 Metres Free Style Relay Race (Open to Schools):  
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# PORTSMOUTH TO UNDERGO AIR RAID TEST NEXT MONTH



Air Commodore Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, seen with his child, may attempt to break the London to Melbourne record.

## KINGSFORDSMITH'S PLAN

### FLYING BOATS SEEN AT HENDON

Formation Flight Away From Landing Facilities

Seven giant flying boats, including the largest and most powerful in active commission in the world, were seen in formation flight at the R.A.F. Hendon on June 28 and 29. It is unusual to see flying boats so far inland where landing facilities are limited. The biggest of the fleet was the six-engined Short, which carries a crew of 10.

## APPEAL FOR FINANCIAL CO-OPERATION

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### FRANCE'S CONTRIBUTION

A Trans-Ocean Service message from Paris states that the Governor of the Banque de France, M. Tannery, speaking at a luncheon given by the American Club here, warmly advocated closer collaboration between Paris, London and New York, declaring that the economic fate of the world depended in a large measure upon the adoption of a common policy by these, the world's greatest financial centres.

M. Tannery emphasised that France would remain faithful to the gold standard. In any case the devaluation of the franc at this juncture would avail nothing. The Banque de France was determined to defend the franc against all attacks, which it was quite in a position to do.

This policy, said M. Tannery, was France's contribution to the world's return to prosperity, because it would facilitate the general process of stabilisation which was the surest means of bringing about the real and lasting rise in the price level essential for the return of the prosperity of the world.—Trans-Ocean Service.

**BERLIN BOURSE WARNING**  
Berlin, To-day.—A clear warning was issued to the public yesterday by the management of the Berlin Bourse, to the effect that many share prices had at present attained a level quite unjustified by normal economic considerations.

The prices of many shares are so high that prospective dividends will not offer a fair return on the invested capital. This state of affairs has arisen because at the moment insufficient stock is offered from which investors can make a choice.

Past experience suggests that the price level will again decline, especially as commerce and industry have to reckon with new levies, and hence savers are advised to use caution in investing at this moment and above all to consider whether first-class fixed interest securities do not offer better returns than share investments.

**SORBERING TENDENCIES**  
Doubtless this warning helped to damp down enterprise yesterday, for it was very noticeable that the public held aloof, while operators were likewise cautious. The failure of the Hale-Abyssinian arbitration at Scheveningen also had a sobering tendency, and hence business was quiet.

Nevertheless the many transo-

## MAY FLY TO MELBOURNE FROM LONDON

ALSO FROM U.S. TO ENGLAND

### "LADY SOUTHERN CROSS" TO BE USED

Los Angeles.

Air Commodore Sir Charles Kingsford Smith may fly from the United States to England and then to Australia, according to his friend and adviser, Mr. P. G. Morris, of Los Angeles.

He will fly the "Lady Southern Cross," the machine in which he intended to take part in the London-Melbourne air race last year, and will attempt to establish a new record for the flight between London and Melbourne, should he decide to make the flight, said Mr. Morris.

## GENERAL BUDGET FOR CHINA

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Ordinary Receipts	
Party Expenditure	\$ 5,635,800
Expenditure of Organizations directly under National Government	11,911,833
Military Expenditure	293,014,600
Expenditure for Domestic Affairs	4,280,328
Expenditure for Foreign Affairs	9,032,842
Financial Expenditure	65,739,523
Educational and Cultural Expenditure	35,061,422
Judicial Expenditure	1,957,520
Industrial Expenditure	3,854,948
Expenditure for Communications	4,803,922
Expenditure for Mongolian-Tibetan Affairs	1,722,844
Expenditure on Construction	2,212,130
Subsidies	59,737,613
Compassionate Grants	4,936,693
Expenditure on National Loans	274,803,279
Secondary Reserve Fund	7,766,293
Extraordinary Expenditure	
Party Expenditure	235,000
Expenditure of Organizations Directly Under National Government	666,839
Military Expenditure	27,388,400
Expenditure for Domestic Affairs	90,980
Expenditure for Foreign Affairs	388,452
Financial Expenditure	2,221,820
Educational and Cultural Expenditure	2,150,198
Judicial Expenditure	877,235
Industrial Expenditure	543,832
Expenditure for Communications	125,000
Expenditure on Construction	34,162,760
Capital payable for National Operated Business	60,371,166
Subsidies	42,182,476
<b>Grand Total of Ordinary and Extraordinary Expenditure</b>	<b>\$957,154,006</b>
—Checklist Agency.	

tions actually taking place showed that prices were firmer. Fixed interest securities were erratic in all sections, and price changes were small. Call money was 2 1/2 per cent.—Trans-Ocean Service.

**REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS**  
Berlin, To-day.—Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee) are: New York, 40.43; Paris, 608.79; Amsterdam, 59.25; London, 12.29. The Paris sterling quotation is 74.78, and the dollar quotation is 15.07.—Trans-Ocean Service.

## DEFENCE SCHEMES TESTED

### PRECAUTIONS AGAINST AIR RAIDS

#### CO-OPERATION OF PUBLIC ASKED BY AUTHORITIES

THE Admiralty are now collaborating with local authorities at Portsmouth to arrange a "black out" as an air raid test precaution. It will be along the same lines as those recently held at Chatham, Rochester and Gillingham.

A date in August has been considered by Councillor Frank Privett, the Lord Mayor, and the Town Clerk. The "black-out" will probably be held in the small hours of the morning when there will be few lights to extinguish.

## "DO-X" HOUSED IN MUSEUM IN BERLIN

Safe In Harbour At Last

SLOW AND TRICKY LAST JOURNEY

Berlin.

The world's biggest flying-boat, the 12-engined Dornier "Do-X", has come to end its days in a Berlin museum.

The last journey of this huge machine was in contrast to the high-speed flights she has made in the past over oceans and continents. It took eight hours to move her one mile from a canal in Berlin to the museum.

On Special Lorry  
The weight of the body of the machine was so great that a special lorry had to be built to carry it. All traffic along the street was diverted and the current was cut off from the overhead tramway wires to prevent danger of a short-circuit from the huge machine.

At one point there is a slope in the road. The brakes of the lorry carrying the aeroplane would not hold, so a small lorry had to be attached at the back and driven in the opposite direction to act as a check.

Finally, just as the aeroplane had reached her destination the wheels of the lorry sank through the rough stones of the roadway. It was dragged out by means of a windlass—and now, at last, the "Do-X" is safe in harbour.

## FREE FLYING TUITION

Offer To Youth Of Yorkshire

York.

To promote air-mindedness in Yorkshire, the York County Aviation Club has now established a scheme under which they are offering the youth of the county a limited amount of free flying tuition.

It is proposed to hold trials to select candidates and the finalists will be trained to "A" license standard.

## WEATHER RECORDS

Army, navy, and commercial planes flying at altitudes of more than three miles makes daily flights from 20 different airports throughout the country, carrying instruments to record weather conditions in the higher air for the U.S. Weather Bureau.

## Lord Londonderry Pays Tribute To R.A.F. Club

London.—The Marquess of Londonderry, former Air Minister, speaking recently at a luncheon of the Royal Air Force Flying Club at the Cafe Royal W. declared:

"Now that the place of the air defence system of this country is becoming daily more and more recognised, the value of the club is becoming more and more obvious."

"Here in this club is a magnificent reservoir of the flying strength of this country."

Wing-Commander Eric J. Hodsell, R.A.F., who is in charge of new Air Raids Precaution Dept. of the Home Office, said: "These experiments depend for their success on willing co-operation from the public."

Quite Voluntary.

"They are quite voluntary and we hope always will be. At Chatham, Rochester and Gillingham they went well and the public gave extraordinarily fine co-operation. We had a maroon signal at 11 p.m. and for half an hour the towns were plunged in darkness."

"The Air Ministry co-operates by loaning R.A.F. machines which ascend at night for the pilots and observers to note the degree of visibility a town presents when in complete darkness."

"One light carelessly left on of course ruins everything."

The sea coast towns are being chosen first for these experiments. Appeal is made to local authorities for help.

The Mayor of the town then issues public appeals by way of placards and newspaper notices to the public, who are instructed of the day and time of the signal.

## SUCCESSFUL AIR RAID REHEARSALS

Loyal Co-operation By Civilians

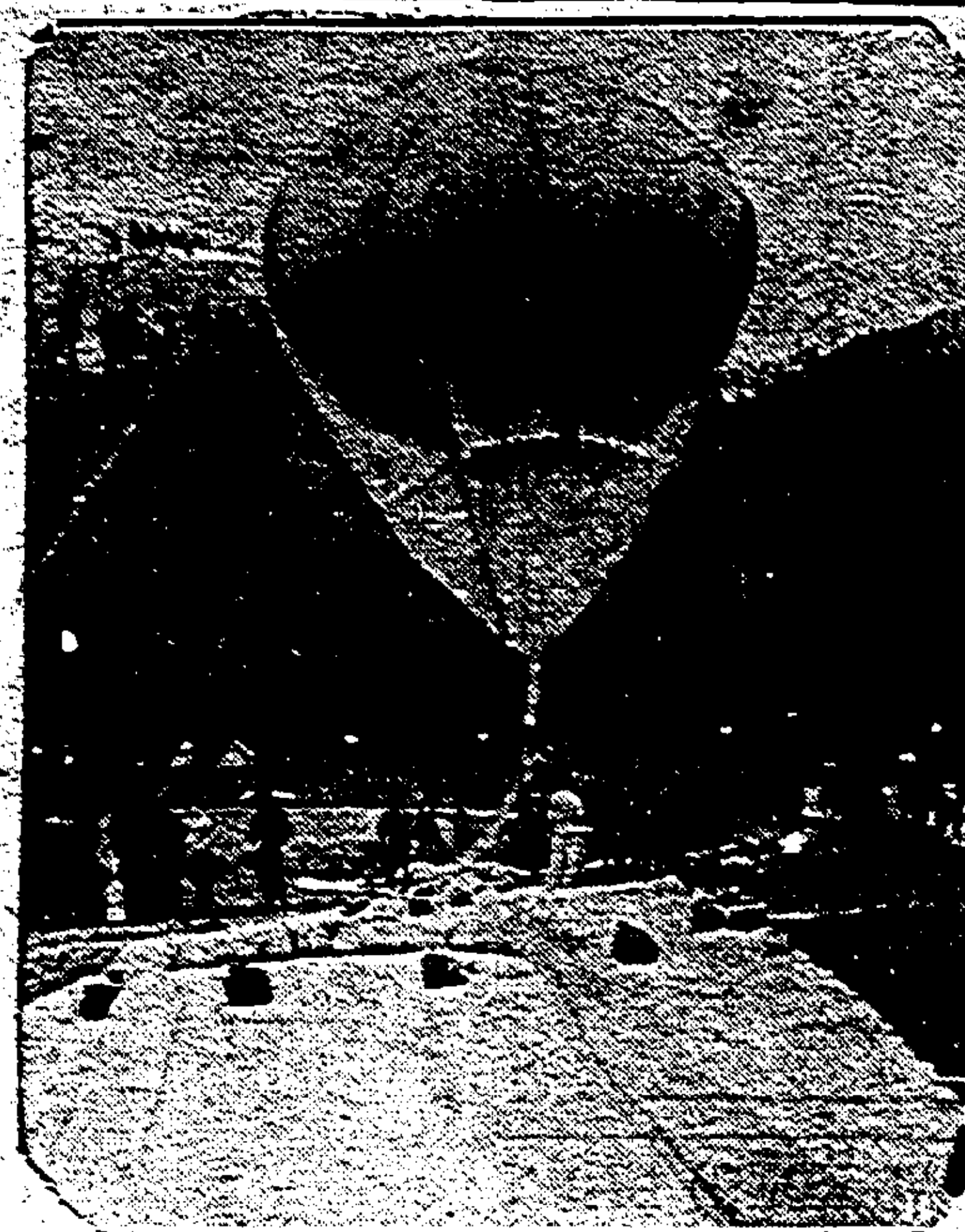
VALUABLE INFORMATION GAINED

The following statement on the recent air raid tests at Chatham, Rochester and Gillingham was issued by Vice-Admiral Sir Hugh Tweedie, Commander-in-Chief at the North:

"The air raid observation test was a great success, and the loyal co-operation of the civil population was to a large measure responsible for this. Observers stationed at various high positions in the three towns were entirely satisfied with the darkening arrangements, which were carried out very rapidly and with great thoroughness."

"Unfortunately, aeroplanes coming from Manston were forced to turn back at the outskirts of Gillingham by thick clouds above 800ft., which at times obscured even the wing tips, and the pilots considered the visibility insufficient for safety."

"The exercise achieved everything it set out to do, and the information gained was extremely valuable, in spite of the fact that aircraft were unable to co-operate."



A scene at the start of a previous ascent into the stratosphere by the U.S. airmen Kepner and Stevens.

## STRATOSPHERE ATTACK

### FLIGHT TO CAPE TOWN AND BACK

New British Air Film In Preparation

Mr. R. D. Wainwright, A.F.C., set out recently to get to the Cape and back by air in 19 days. While in Africa he was to make arrangements for the new film "Air Liner," from Charles Lorne's novel, which he is making in association with Gaumont, British and Imperial Airways, Ltd.

## LIGHTEST AERO ENGINE MADE PASSES TESTS

NEW TYPE WEIGHS ONLY 1 LB. PER H.P.

Newest "Bristol" Product

A Bristol "Pegasus" aero engine of a new series, designed to replace the standard "Pegasus III," has just completed the 100 hours' official type test.

This engine, for a take-off power of 920 h.p. and a maximum power at 6,000 feet altitude of 875 h.p., weighs only 995lb.

It is the lightest and most efficient production type of aero engine ever made, for although the Rolls-Royce racing engine in the Supermarine seaplane which won the Schneider Trophy for Great Britain weighed only 1,640 lb. for its 2,350 h.p., that engine was not a production type, albeit it afforded data of enormous value for its makers' numerous standard types.

The famous Gnome rotary air-cooled engine took the flying world by storm in the years 1910-1914 with its weight of about 2 1/2 lbs. per h.p. The Rolls-Royce Racing water-cooled engine of 1931 was only 2-3lb. per h.p. The new "Pegasus," a moderately super-charged, air-cooled engine for production, barely exceeds 1 lb. per h.p.

**Fuel Economy**  
Together with steady reduction in weight there is a gradual improvement in fuel economy. The steady progression of lightness in relation to power output may be judged from the following table of approximate values:

	Weight per H.P.
1903 original Wright Bros. engine	12 1/2 lb.
1905 Do., improved	9 1/2
1908 Do.	5 1/2
1910 average aero engine	5 1/2
about	5 1/2
1923 Do.	4 1/2
1921-14 rotary engines	2 1/2
1925 latest air-cooled types	1 1/2

## ALL-STEEL AEROPLANE

The first all-steel aeroplane to be constructed in the United States has been retired and placed on exhibition at the flying equivalent of four times around the earth at the aqueduct.

## NEW NAVAL GUN

### REPLY TO MENACES FROM AIR

Machine-Gun Of Heavy Calibre

HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELLS AS AMMUNITION

A multiple machine-gun of heavy calibre, firing high explosive shells at an almost fabulous rate, is the Navy's newest weapon against attack from the air.

The details and even the existence of the gun, with which eventually all major vessels of the Navy will be equipped, have hitherto been an official secret. Now the ban has been lifted.

Already, during the last two years, many battleships and cruisers have mounted the new weapon. While for obvious reasons, exact particulars must still be withheld, it is permissible to state that the new weapon has revolutionised the Navy's methods of dealing with low-flying bombing aircraft and torpedo planes.

Having watched the gun in action at sea, most naval officers are of the opinion that it is the most effective reply to low altitude air attack which has yet been devised.

**Planes Outranged**  
Its range far exceeds that at which a torpedo plane could hope to launch a successful attack. The stream of shell lashing the water and detonating either by time or percussion fuse—the latter so sensitive as to cause a burst if an aeroplane wire is touched—sets up a barrage through which no machine could pass.

In the House of Commons recently Mr. Churchill compared the usual form of anti-aircraft gunnery to a pea-rifle firing at a flying duck. But the Navy's new gun has altered all that. The rifle has, as it were, been superseded by an automatic shot-gun firing heavy explosive shot at the rate of hundreds to the minute, and the "ducks" themselves are now hopelessly outranged.

## NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

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The estimate of the corn crop is bullish. Weather conditions in the corn belt are improving. Oats, rye and barley estimates are bearish. Total sales: Wheat: 40,543,000 bushels; Corn: 7,044,000 bushels.

**Cotton**—Weather conditions are considered favourable, with high temperatures in the South-West beneficial to the crops.

**Flash**—Average daily production of petroleum for the week ending July 6 was estimated at 2,577,000 barrels, compared with 2,590,000 barrels the previous week.

The Edison Electric Institute estimates weekly electricity production at 1,655,000,000 k.w.h., an increase of 6.4 per cent from the corresponding period of last year. The following cable was received last night:

Grains.—Rust reports continue and there was some profit-taking before publication of the Government estimates. We would rather buy on further declines.

## Latest Quotations

The following quotations were received by Reuter:

	Prev. To-day's close	close
N.Y. London	4.96 1/2	4.96 1/2
N.Y. Cotton Oct.	11.75	11.90
N.Y. Rubber Sept.	32.45	32.45
Chicago Wheat Sept.	55	55 1/2
Chicago Corn Sept.	76 1/2	76 1/2
Montreal Silver Dec.	70.25	70.25
Silver Official	63 1/2	63 1/2
Dow Jones Averages		
30 Industrials	122.17	122.69
20 Rails	32.00	32.24
20 Utilities	22.85	22.76
40 Bonds	97.17	97.10
Commodity		
Index	56.84	56.68
Business Done	1,150,000	shares

## MEASURES CONCLUDED

RECORDS TO BE ATTEMPTED

SCIENTIFIC DATA ON AIR CONDITIONS

Rapid City, S.D.

The most careful and detailed preparations ever made for a 30-mile trip have been completed here in Rapid City's rock-walled natural bowl. Any day now, the giant stratosphere balloon of the Second National Geographic Society-Army Air Corps expedition may take to the skies in the dual attempt to break the existing altitude record for such flights and bring back valuable data on conditions existing in the upper atmosphere.

Capt. Orvil A. Anderson, who will pilot the huge craft, and Capt. R. P. Williams, in charge of ground operations and alternate pilot, have completed tests of the instruments made in two short hops into the stratosphere by open basket balloon.

Twenty-six thousand feet was the greatest height attained in these tests flights, sufficient for the experiments.

Every possible precaution is being taken this time to insure success.

New radio equipment, using a broadcasting beam so short in wave-length as to behave more like light than electrical energy, has been designed and installed in the gondola. During the flight, conversation and comments of the balloonists will be broadcast over a nation-wide hookup by the NBC.

## BIG ADVANCE IN ANGLO-CHINESE CO-OPERATION

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### MR. WELLS REPLIES

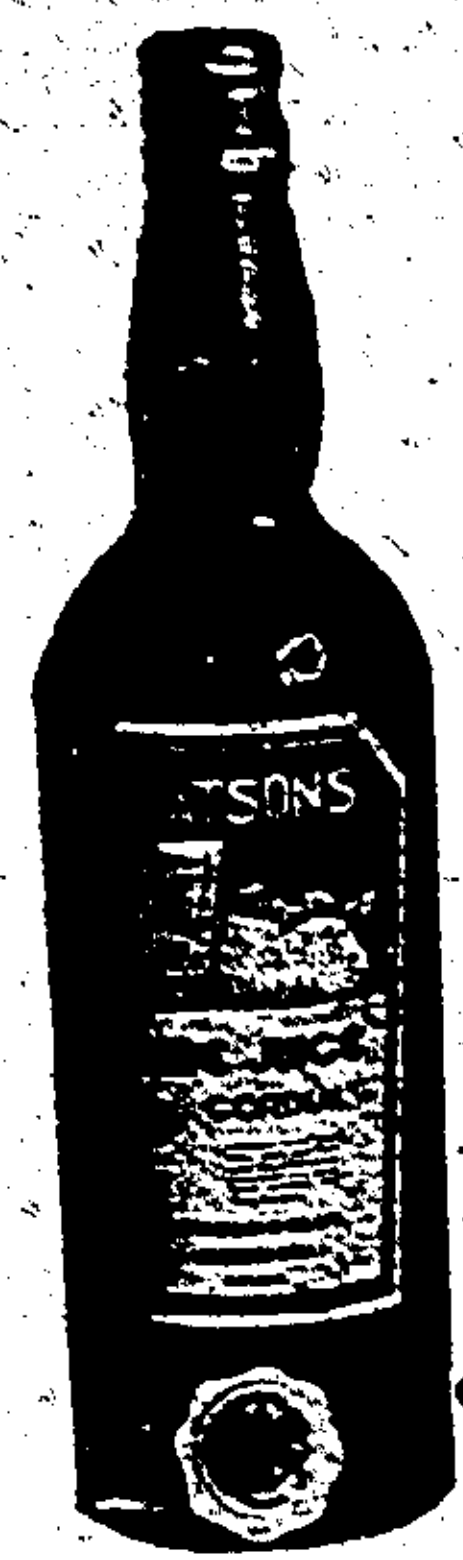
Mr. H. G. Wells, responding, said that the time to make vague generalisations about the East and the West were completely past. People once thought of China as almost a non-existent land of fairy tales and monsters, but wireless aeroplanes and other inventions had abolished distance and people were feeling more and more their common destiny. There were differences between us in language, and he thought therefore that we must set to work to understand them.

"If I had several lives," he continued, "I should devote one to the translation of Chinese philosophy."

"England, the United States and China are a closely knit community with a common understanding for liberty. They are all hostile to the world drift towards intolerance and aggression, and this constitutes an admirable bond of sympathy between us."

The history of the next hundred years may see a crucial struggle for liberty. That is why we must not be strangers, but friends and brothers.—Reuter.





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### The China Mail

Hong Kong, Thursday, July 11, 1935.

### The Futile Motion Of Censure

It was laid down as a general political dictum some years ago that the function of the Opposition is to oppose. So one imagines that there must have been some idea of doing its duty in that direction, behind the futile motion of censure moved by the Labour faction in the House of Commons on Tuesday. In the face of Sir John Simon's quotation of facts and figures it is difficult to see what other motive there may have been behind it, unless Labour was banking on the premise that any stick is good enough to beat a dog with. There are many directions in which a vote of censure may have had some justification, but in attacking the Government on the ground that they had done nothing to relieve the unemployment situation and that the system was not able to adapt itself to changing conditions the Labourites struck two of the least vulnerable joints in the National Government's armour. A drop of 1,000,000 in the unemployed does not come as a miraculous gift from heaven, like manna on a thirsty earth; there is behind it organisation, planning and the deliberate facing of difficulties, coupled always with the commonsense desire to make haste slowly—in other words, to encourage improving influences where they are evident, and under no circumstances to allow oneself to be panicked into rash experiments and wildcat schemes for the foundation of brave new worlds.

Sir Stafford Cripps, who wound up the Labour case, is the last man in the world to throw mud at a record of solid, if unobtrusive, achievement in the field of labour. He has played the Fat Boy so consistently and so often, without causing anything more than a delicious shudder among his listeners, that a denunciation from him falls rather flat. We do know exactly what he would do if he were dictator, just as we are equally aware of the perfervid schemes of others who have also expressed themselves in utterly fantastic and stupid prognostications. And no less remarkable than the avowed intentions of these pocket dictators is the bland way in which they guilelessly disclose that, of course, their brave new worlds will not be brought into being without a lot of preliminary trouble and disorganisation—if not wholesale bloodshed and the worst kind of internecine strife between class and class—but that all this will only be a preliminary and that of their work lies in the pre-

everything in the garden will be perfectly lovely in the hereafter. And, no doubt, a good time will be had by all. Their frenzied fanaticism would be funny if it were not such irresistible evidence that the community at large must always be on its guard against deluded idealists satiated with the exploded socialistic theories of Karl Marx. The theory of the freedom of speech and opinion in England, its greatest stronghold, displays over and over again, in the light of these evidences, the fact that only by the process of complete display and discussion can these dangerous theories be examined and exploded for the shams that they are. In allowing the protagonists to blow off steam and disclose their real intentions, the State is safeguarding itself against the dangerous blowing up of suppressed energies of the wrong kind. If they were not displayed to the light of sanity and reason and were suddenly sprung upon the people, there would be the grave danger that the public at large would be unable to protect themselves against a *fait accompli* of notions, however idealistic, that are false in their premises and based upon a social order repugnant to the large mass of the British people.

From the way the Socialists talk one would suppose that nobody but them is the slightest bit interested in the welfare of the masses; that everybody who is not engaged in the "dignity of labour" is a ruthless oppressor, out only for what he can get, ready at all times to exploit without mercy or charity the misfortunes of those less endowed than himself; that, in short, he is a ghastly monster instead of a decent human being filled with some instincts of common humanity. The thing is really farcical. Nobody denies that there are appalling miseries at the last man in the world, but there are vast possibilities of improvement of the common lot. Nobody suggests for a moment that we should sit back with our hands folded in complacency and thank our gods that we are not as others are. But it is ridiculous to attempt to belittle the solid accomplishment of the British nation in a time of particular stress for the whole world, and it is just as ludicrous to suggest that this was an Act of God rather than an accomplishment of the National Government.

That is not to suggest that the National Government produced the whole bag of tricks with a conjurer's flourish, but they certainly deserve a great deal of the credit for accomplishing what they have done by strictly attending to relevant business and refusing to allow themselves to be panicked into injudicious schemes for universal saltpanacea. In fine, the value only be a preliminary and that of their work lies in the pre-

## Here There and Everywhere.

### HIS LITTLE JOKE

An amusing account of a call he made on Gen. Goering at his palatial house in the Leipzigerplatz is given by a London journalist.

The German Air Minister received him in his study. The wall-paper is blood-red, the carpet pitch-black. Along one side of the large room are three white marble busts. Two are of politicians—Herr Hitler and himself. The other is of a musician. Dr. Fuhrwangler.

The face of each is illumined by arc lamps trained upon the busts from the other wall.

A desk the size of a small island is the most conspicuous piece of furniture. On it stands a telephone and a switchboard with a bewildering number of different coloured buttons.

"If I press this one," said Gen. Goering amiably to his visitor, putting his finger on one of the knobs, "you will be arrested within five seconds."

### THE TEMPLE OF FAME

An American encyclopaedia has included Shirley Temple in its list of immortals. She appears between Frederick Temple, Archbishop of Canterbury from 1896 to 1902 and Sir William Temple, statesman, diplomatist and author of 17th century fame.

### Your Daily Smile!

New Variety  
"I got this cup for playing tennis."  
"Hm-m. When did they start playing it with a cup?"

The Mistake  
Hubbard (after the theatre): "But, dear, what did you object to?"  
Wife: "Why, the idea of you believing 'Author! Author!' at a Shakespearean drama!"

Not Even a Squeak  
Customer: "You know that music stool you sold me?"  
Salesman: "Yes."

Customer: "Well, I've twisted and turned it in all directions, but I can't get a single note out of it."

Full Name  
Little Rosalie, a first-grader, walking with her mother, spoke to a small boy. "His name is Jimmy and he is in my grade," she explained.  
"What is the little boy's last name?" her mother asked.  
"His whole name," said Rosalie, "is Jimmy Sidewalk—that's what the teacher calls him."

### CHINESE CHOIR AT CATHEDRAL

Hallelujah Chorus  
In Cantonese

EXCELLENT PROGRAMME  
WELL RENDERED

St. John's Cathedral was packed last night, when a programme of sacred and concert music was rendered by the Shanghai Cantonese Union Church Choir under the able conductorship of Mr. Faust Ho.

The varied programme included trombone, piano, violin and mouth organ solos.

Miss Pansy Long, a delightful soprano, gave an admirable rendering of Handel's "If God Be For Us, Who Can Be Against Us?"

The Hallelujah Chorus was excellently rendered in Cantonese.

The choir, comprising 16 women and 12 men, sang extremely well and reflect the greatest credit on Mr. Ho. The piano accompaniment was in the capable hands of Miss Lena Poon.

A collection was taken to defray the expenses of the choir.

The Shanghai Cantonese Union Church Choir will repeat the programme at the Hop Yat Church, Bonham Road, at 8 p.m. to-night and at the All Saints' Church, Homantin, to-morrow night at the same time.

ervation of solidity and confidence, something which not all Sir Stafford Cripps' large-sounding schemes could accomplish for five minutes. The country is solvent and has been kept solvent. Heaven only knows what it would be like under a Socialist dictatorship. It is to be hoped that we shall never be in a position to find out

## A DETECTIVE LURKS IN EVERYONE

### THREE FACULTIES VERY NECESSARY TRAINING IN OBSERVATION AND DEDUCTION

(By Francis Hes)

SUPPOSING that you tum- bled into one of those situations which, according to fiction, the stage, and the screen, await the most humdrum people at almost any moment. Supposing that you could extricate yourself from a nasty mess only by employing hitherto uncalled-for powers of detection to unmask the real culprit. Could you do it?

It looks so easy and so obvious, when the detective explains in the last chapter of just before the final curtain.

"Well, of course," you say, "there was nothing else he could have done." But—could you have done it?

With your present mental equipment, almost certainly you could not.

"But the detective, the real detective in real life," you point out, "is no more intelligent than I am. He was a uniformed constable first. Besides, we know that in real life it is the organisation and the machine that does 99 per cent. of the work. I could do the remaining 1 per cent. as well as anyone else."

### All Detectives

That is true; you could. But with your present mental equipment, no. And yet, curiously enough, you are something of a detective already, without knowing it. Anyone who lives in a crowded world has to be.

There are three faculties which everyone possesses in some degree but which in the detective have to be trained and developed above the normal—observation, clear thinking, and constructive imagination.

By constructive imagination I mean the ability to make best use of a clue, what methods to employ in the tracing of a missing girl according to your knowledge of her character and habits, and so on.

As for clear thinking, it is astonishing how few people can reason clearly from cause to effect; and still more rarely from effect to cause, which is the mysterious and all-important "deduction" of detective fiction.

But it is in observation, which one would think was the easiest of all these three powers, that most people fail.

### Simple Test

If you consider that you are an ordinarily observant person, here is a simple test: Make a rough sketch from memory of the front of the house in which you live.

There is a subject that you have seen hundreds and thousands of times. Yet in all those times have you ever really looked at it?

Anyhow, try the sketch. And if you find you get all the details correct—the spacing of the windows from each other; their height in relation to the front door; the number of panes in them; the number and position of the chimneys; length of

house in proportion to its height; overhang of the eaves; and a dozen other equally important features—if you get even half of them right, you may take it that you are a very exceptional person.

Most people will be doubtful even of the number of windows!

Again, what do you ever see of the person who sits opposite you in the train or omnibus? Try to jot down the particulars of dress and appearance of that one person. The probabilities are that you cannot do it.

### Detective's Training

Yet a detective would be able to give you the most minute details of the appearance of every single person in his compartment. Why? Because he has been trained to use his brain in conjunction with his eyes. He absorbs mentally anything he looks at, and the impression is automatically recorded in his mind.

The brain of the ordinary person has, actually, been trained by experience to the impossible. It has been trained to reject anything that is no use to it, or which it is not specially asked to record. If it did not, its owner would go mad.

And yet, as I wrote above, you are a detective yourself, whenever the situation requires you to employ these three faculties.

### An Instance

Take a simple instance: You are interviewing an applicant for a situation. The post requires an energetic person of careful habits. You reject the applicant; you don't really know why; you just feel vaguely that he or she was not suitable; perhaps it was something he said; you don't know. Yet this is the process that went on in your subconscious mind.

Observation.—The sides of the soles of his shoes are muddy. There is a greasy-spot, small but perceptible, on his waistcoat. It is not raining to-day and the streets are dry, but it did rain yesterday.

Clear Thinking.—His shoes have not been cleaned since he got them muddied yesterday. A person who drops a spot of grease on his waistcoat is a careless person; a person who does not remove it later is a lazy one.

Constructive Imagination.—I see this person in the post, I see him mislaying letters, spilling the ink, being late in the mornings; and I see that he would not do.

### Instinctive Process

That is what happened; yet you have not the least idea that you rejected the person because of the few specks of mud on his shoes and a tiny greasy-spot on his waistcoat. The process of your thought is so usual in a busy world that it is instinctive, though you have been doing just what a detective is carefully trained to do, and that is to deduce character from appearances. But with you the process was unconscious; with the detective it is conscious.

So much for observation. As for clear thinking and constructive imagination, let me offer you a test for these out of real life.

A girl was found murdered on a lonely common. Only two clues could be found: a regimental badge and an ordinary coat-button.

Here was no case where routine or the machine could help; the detective in charge had to use his wits. He got his man. How did he go about it?

No, I am not going to tell you how easy and obvious it was. Just think. What, in that detective's place, would you have done?

### UNMANIFESTED CARGO

Ordered To Be  
Confiscated

Unmanifested cargo, consisting of 250 cabbies of sugar, 800 packets of needles and three dozen mouth organs, found by Sergeant Grainger on the s.s. Kwong Sai at the Yau On Wharf on July 4, was ordered to be confiscated by Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court this morning.

His Worship also ordered the confiscation of 320 cabbies of rice, and 200 cabbies of sugar found on the s.s. Stanley at the Kwong Wing Wharf on July 2, unmanifested.

Low Doon-ham, of the Standard Optical Company and owner of premises at 221 Jaffe Road, Wan-chai, was fined \$10 by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a summons for failing to comply with a notice served by the Sanitary Board to abate a nuisance in the form of mosquito larvae in a water storage tank on the roof. It was stated that the notice was served on June 24, to be complied with by June 27.



## MR. A. EDEN'S NEW CABINET POST

Explained By Prime Minister

### TO STRENGTHEN HANDS OF FOREIGN OFFICE

London, To-day. In the House of Commons debate raised by the Opposition on constitutional questions connected with the reconstruction of the Government and the appointment of certain Ministers without specific departmental status, the Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, referred to the appointment of Mr. Eden as Minister of League of Nations Affairs.

He said there had never been a time when there were more matters of the utmost importance for this country, for Europe, and for the world than existed to-day in foreign affairs. He wanted as strong a team for that as he could find. The new Minister was in the Cabinet and therefore equal in status with other Ministers.

Agreement between the Ministers dealing with foreign policy and himself and the rest of the Cabinet was very close. He had made the new arrangement as an experiment deliberately to strengthen the department, which he believed needed to be as strong as possible to meet the difficult problems which faced them to-day.—British Wireless Service.

### SHENG AN PIRATES REFUSED TRIAL

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The defence counsel was absent when the Court's verdict was handed down, but the prisoners intimated that they would appeal to the Supreme Court at Port Arthur.

**VERDICT TAKEN COOLLY**  
None of the pirates showed signs of suffering physically. They took the verdict coolly.

The verdict confirmed the sentences imposed on Tandien, Westermann and Schroeder, but altered the life sentences of Gauthi and Muller to death.

The men were alleged to have boarded the Sheng An at Tangku on June 26, 1933, and to have pirated it when off the coast near Shanghai. After killing Captain E. Vikman, the first mate and the first mate's wife, all Russians, in addition to seven Chinese seamen, all of whose bodies were promptly thrown overboard, the ship was commandeered and diverted to Dairen.

**FANTASTIC PLAN**  
A most fantastic plan to take the Sheng An across the Pacific to Valparaiso, where it was to be sold, together with its cargo of ground nut oil, was revealed by the prisoners after capture.

The ship, early on July 1, 1933, grounded off the coast of Kokusisho, Hoshigaura, Dairen. The pirates dashed for shore, three being caught after a brief freedom and two others arrested on the following day.



The former Hong Kong girl and present English star, Wendy Barrie, makes her Hollywood bow in Fox Film's romantic comedy, "It's A Small World." She plays opposite Spencer Tracy in this "screen-life" story of two strangers crashing into love via a car wreck. This picture will be showing at the King's Theatre next Saturday week.

### LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

**Special Russian Orthodox**  
Church services will be held in celebration of the festival of Saints Peter and Paul. Patron Saints of the Church, on July 11 at 6 p.m. and July 12 at 9 a.m. A Moleben will be held at 10c Han-kow Road, Kowloon, at which tea will be served, on July 12 at 6 p.m. All members of the Congregation are invited to attend.

This evening's meeting of the Manuk Lodge of the Theosophical Society, to be held at the Hong Kong Club Annex, Chater Road, at 6 p.m., will take the form of a discussion and study class. There will be no more lectures until further notice, but the study class will be held each week at the same time and place.

Sui Cho, a 27-year-old unemployed, was this morning sentenced to three months' hard labour for the theft of a radiator cap from car No. 1639, belonging to Lau Leung, a salesman, of No. 9 Yu On Terrace, while the car was parked in Ramsey Road yesterday.

Chuen Yat-tim, a 25-year-old unemployed, was sentenced to four months' hard labour when he appeared before Mr. E. L. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of harbouring Yin Kiu, a 17-year-old girl, at No. 123 Ki Lung Street without the consent of her parents.

A Chinese lad, Ho Kuen-tsai, had a narrow escape from death yesterday morning when a part of a balcony of premises No. 33, Staunton Street, collapsed while he was walking beneath it. The boy was struck by the falling debris and admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from slight abrasions.

## GENERAL LI ARRIVES BACK AT NANNING

Chief-of-Staff's Fatal Accident

### GENERAL PAI NOT TO RESIGN

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day. General Li Chung-jen, Commander-in-Chief of the Fourth Group Army, arrived at Wu-chow yesterday from Canton, en route to Nanning in connection with the death of Lieut. General Yeh Chi, his Chief-of-Staff, who was thrown from his horse during a morning ride in Nanning last Monday.

Some significance is attached to the hurried return of General Li for two days ago it was announced that he would remain in Canton. The death of Lieut-General Yeh Chi is a great loss to Kwangsi, as he was a brilliant strategist and a highly trusted official. He was in Canton last Saturday and returned to Nanning the same day by plane.

General Yeh arrived here last Thursday by air from Chongsha, where he called on General Ho Chien, Chairman of the Hunan Provincial Government. In the earlier part of the month, the Chief-of-Staff flew to Chongtu to interview General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the National Military Commission. It is said that General Chiang told General Yeh that Kwangsi should strictly adhere to orders from the Central Authorities.

An official news agency in Nanking stated last week that General Pai Hsueh-hai, Second-in-Command of the 4th Group Army, would soon retire abroad. This report, however, is purely propaganda, as General Pai, the brains of the Kwangsi armies, has no intention to resign at all.

### POLITICAL COUNCIL OF KWANGTUNG

Assembly Members To Serve Extra Year

Canton, to-day. The Southwest Political Council at its 179th meeting held on Tuesday passed the following resolutions:

1. That the term of office of the Provincial Assembly members which will expire on August 14 be prolonged by one year;  
2. That all employees of government departments in the city be required to undergo a course of military training and that the regulations governing the training be adopted.

The second proposal was submitted by General Chen Chi-tang, Mr. Chow Lu, and Mr. Lin Yuen-kai.—Central Press.

### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA BILL

Method Of Election To Upper Chamber

London, To-day. The House of Lords concluded the committee stage of the India Bill yesterday after approving an amendment to give effect to the change in the method of election to the Federal Upper Chamber foreshadowed by the Secretary for India, Lord Zetland, in the debate last Wednesday.

He said that the proposed changes had been generally approved and, so far as he could judge, would be welcomed by the Indian Government and people in India generally.—British Wireless Service.

### REDS WIN NIGHT BASEBALL

Dodgers Overwhelmed

The Reds secured an overwhelming victory in their National League Baseball night clash with the Dodgers yesterday, winning by a 15 to 2 margin. F. Herman striking his first four-bagger of the season.

The result, as cabled by Reuter, was:

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
R. H. E.  
Brooklyn..... 2 6 2  
Cincinnati..... 15 15 0  
F. Herman hit a home run.

To-day's Short Story.

## Consecration

By Jack Lindsay

THE sun was nearing the western slopes when Christus reached the road branching off for Nemi from the Appian Way. He felt very tired. For he had ridden hard at dawn out of Rome, between two police officers, for the Emperor's villa at Lanuvium; and then he had been sent to retrace his steps towards Nemi, this time alone.

But he was a sturdy fellow used to feats of endurance, and a day on horseback would not have wearied him out. He had been given a splendid stallion at the Imperial Stables by the surprised freedman in charge, and he liked riding. But he was little used to thinking beyond the immediate problems of finding food, drink, or women; and the day had bewildered him. Bewilderment wearied.

### NEW U.S. EMBASSY FOR NANKING

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Nanking. It is learned that the American Legation in China will be elevated to the status of Embassy in September, and that the American Consulate-General in Nanking will at the same time be amalgamated with that in Shanghai. After the establishment of the Embassy, several Counsellors and Secretaries will be transferred here from Peking.

The new premises of the American Embassy, which have been rented from the Nanking Branch of the Sin-Ewa Trust and Savings Bank at \$3,000 a month, are located near the Gimling College. According to the plan of the Embassy, the main office building and four residences will occupy only twenty mow of the entire premises, leaving enough space for a garden and several tennis courts.

The Legation has signed a contract with the Sin-Ewa Trust and Savings Bank for the lease for a period of 20 years. It is understood that the projected buildings will shortly be under construction, and they are scheduled to be completed in March or April next year.—Chekiat Agency.

### IGNORANT JUDGES DISMISSED

Nine judges have recently been dismissed by the Lithuanian Supreme Court of Kovno for failing to master the Lithuanian language, according to a report in the semi-official organ *Lietuvos Aidai*.

## Capt. Chen Remains Loyal To The Southern Cause

Canton, To-day. Captain Chen Hsiao, former commanding officer of the rebel cruiser Hai Shen, will shortly be appointed to command the gunboat Fook On or Fook Yau, though he will still retain his present rank. He returned here from Hong Kong after being released from the Hai Shen, where he was commanding officer in name and prisoner in fact.

The released officer prefers to return here, being loyal to General Chen Chi-tang. Captain Chen saw no reason for going to Nanking with the Hai Shen, as Commander Chang Feng-jen has been promoted to be captain of the ship with the approval of Vice-Admiral Chen Chak, Chief of the Naval Section of the Military Affairs Commission.

Christus didn't quite like the business. He had no particular religious qualms, though he suffered from nightmares sometimes, which were, of course, warnings from a god. But an offering at the proper shrine put all that kind of trouble to rights. Christus would have slit a priest's throat quick enough, if need be, during a raid on a temple-treasury. But to kill a priest who was doing nothing except carry out his work as a priest made him feel somewhat disquieted.

### TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "The Apostate," by George Milburn.

Besides, only two days ago he had expected to end on the Cross, and he couldn't help feeling that there was a trap somewhere about his orders. He had been caught with some friends who made a hard livelihood by waylaying late travellers outside the Dockyard Gate at Rome, and had been sentenced to death. A merchant from Ostia had been strangled, and part of his belongings were found on Christus. Christus had been found guilty as a runaway slave and brigand, and as he was led out to execution by one of the Tresviri Capitales, he had passed without attention a litter that looked ornate and official. But he was roused from his state of lethargic defiance by the Tresvir whispering in his ear:

"Cling to that litter and beg for your life. It's a Vestal's." Without understanding Christus felt that he was being offered a chance of life. He lurched out of the grasp of his captors, stumbled on a cursing litter-slave, and, raising his bound hands, burst into an imploring prayer for mercy. A scared, pallid girl-face appeared through the curtain. Christus had never heard of the existence of the Vestal Virgins, but he realized that the girl in the litter could somehow sway his fate.

Her heavy brown hair was parted in the middle and crowned with a wide band, from which a fillet hung over either ear. She seemed indeed divine to the crouching wretch, her pale face smudged out by memories of the image of Mother Isis. He howled with hope and despair.

"What is it?" the Vestal asked in a disturbed voice, feebly soft and feminine; the found of distant and desirable life in the ears of the condemned criminal. "Go away."

"He's in his rights," said the Tresvir who had prompted Christus, not through goodwill, but out of a strict sense of the regulations. Moreover, he wanted to see the extraordinary encounter followed to its correct conclusion. "He's a convicted murderer; but if you grant him your mercy, he'll have to be freed."

"But I don't know him," said the girl helplessly. "What's he done?"

"Murder," said the official. "I didn't do it," wailed Christus. He broke anew into lamentations and appeals. "It wasn't my fault. I never do anything wrong again. I swear it, Holy Mother." And he meant that vow as he leaned to-

wards the embarrassed girl. She felt his sour breath, saw the upturned whites of his eyes, heard the pleading anguish of his guttural voice.

"Let him go," she said, and withdrew with a shudder behind the curtains.

So Christus had been led back to the goal, while the conclusion of the Tresvir made the required investigation to prove that the meeting had been accidental, and then reported the whole matter to his colleagues.

While Christus was still in goal, there had come the summons from last month's Emperor Caligula. The Tresvir perceived that his star, smoothed the allium linte over had been reported through the long journey as he lay on the service till it reached the ears of coach. His wild eyes squinted the Prince, who liked antiquaries and painted.

### PRINCE GREETS FORMER CHAUFFEUR

When the Prince of Wales visited the British Industries Fair in Birmingham he saw Frank Bull, who in 1915 was his chauffeur. Bull was one of the disabled ex-service men present, and when the Prince saw him, he shook hands warmly and chatted with him for quite a while.

A total of 12929 cases were treated by the St. John Ambulance New Territories Branch during the month of June.

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# CONSECRATION

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the fat fellow had a successor. Old customs should be encouraged. Didn't Augustus lay down the rule of religious conservatism in his Imperial Hand Book?

There must be a trick in it, thought Christus; and yet he had been promised a purse of gold and threatened with death on a burning cross if he failed or tried to run away. Perhaps they wanted him to commit another murder, since the Holy Mother had come down to earth and had him pardoned for the last; then they would have a pretext for nailing him up after all. Yet why did the Emperor go to such trouble over a humble cut-throat?

It was all very baffling and spoiled any pleasure in the deed. The sword they had given him was a valuable sword, tempered finely, with a carved hilt; and he, who had never had a thought higher than a common knife sharp enough for cheese-paring on throat-slitting, was thrilled and yet worried at the possession of such a weapon. He tucked it in closely against his leg, feeling that it advertised too terrifyingly his purpose—not like a decently concealed knife.

He rode past Aricia in the valley with its Temple of Iuppiter, stopping at the spring that bubbled out at the foot of the hill, to let his horse water. Then he climbed the steep slope of Viribus. There he had to drive away the tribes of beggars who whined and hemmed him round, mistaking him for a lecherous traveller. Christus hated such vermin, and was not disconcerted in the least at the abuse or pebbles with which they pelled him.

The road wound round the hillside, and the gullies seemed deeper in the lengthening shadows and stillness of the dusk. The light was growing fainter, thin, sculptural; and Christus smacked the stallion on the rump.

The mettlesome horse started and leaped forward, almost spilling Christus, who clung to its short-cropped mane, uttering an oath through his clenched teeth. He could now look down into the wide hollow, the crater of an extinct volcano in the Alban Hills, thickly wooded and holding in its heart the lake of Nemi. The water glistened beneath the slopes of green, its depths a fathomless brown.

Christus wanted to reach Nemi before nightfall. He didn't like the mountainous solitude. The silence was eerie, filled with trembling noises, the tiny prattle of nature; but to Christus that filmy hum was the sound of a giant presence communing with itself, obliterating all human efforts of interpretation. The shadows deepened, and the woods became gradually alive with dark wavering figures, pressing closer, at moments unwarily betraying themselves in the fall of a pinecone, the scuffle of an unseen shape in the undergrowth.

Christus was afraid. He brought the sword out into view and bared his teeth. The distant sound of falling water was like the creaking tongue of an enemy, something mad because existing outside the little circle of human life, outside the line of safety ploughed round the city to keep away all such daemoniac forces. He clicked his own tongue and spat, apated at the gesture. Gathering courage, he whirled the sword round his head, and felt the forest-shapes retreating, tumbling shadowily over one another. But he wanted to reach Nemi before dark.

Deeper the ravine wound, and at last Christus saw the welcome walls and roofs of Nemi. Here a smaller band of beggars were waiting, still hopeful of catching a pilgrim with a purse.

They broke into a hubbub, pointing to palaces or feasting limbs, begging time for the sake of the Arician Diana. "Stand back or I'll cut off your noses," he shouted and drew his sword. "The group fell back, astonished at this rude visitor, and Christus, dismounting, strode across to a small inn, which he recognized by a bunch of wine-jars hanging over the sign. Holding the stallion's bridle, he looked down into the green hollow, now heavily banked up with shadows. He was on the northern side of the lake,

and below a little bay indented the shore. He saw the white stones of a large building set in a walled enclosure with the sacred grove beyond.

Turning, he found that the landlord had emerged from the door. The sudden appearance angered him and he gripped his sword-hilt but said nothing.

"Night's lodging for yourself and nag?"

Christus nodded, and then pointed down to the lake. "That's the Temple there?"

"The Temple of Diana of the Woods," replied the landlord with a showman's hectoring gabble. "Which is the reason why her priest is called the King of the Woods, or Viribus for short. There you see the shrine. Many are the cures that it has witnessed. The goddess is the mother of her children. She has a test for every one of us if we only pray to her. That round building over to the further end is where the virgins keep the fire alight. If that fire went out, the sun would stop and there'd be no more corn or grapes. You ought to come along on the great day in August, the thirteenth, when she has her festival."

"The hunting-dogs are crowned, and the people would tear you limb from limb if you ran down a hare or a doe. There's wine in plenty, and the proper feast is a kid served crackling-hot on a platter of leaves, with apples still clustering in their leaves. Would you like to pay me now and reserve a kid for yourself? And in the evening every one has a torch and there's fine goings-on down in the grove. Many a woman's cured of ingrowing toenails, and as for curing barrenness—"

He snapped his fingers and looked at Christus with a wink, dropping his air of professional guide for a more confidential approach. In the dimming light he noted the difference between the garb of Christus and the noble breed of his mount. Clearly the man was a thief, probably come to ease a bad conscience with some vow. "What can I be doing for you, may I ask?"

"Get me a drink," said Christus hoarsely, "and then lend me a boy to take me down to the grove." "Certainly I will," said the man, calling for a flagon. "But it's easy going. There's a good road down from here. Basalt blocks. It'd be a pleasure to break your neck on such a fine road. Go straight on till you meet the colonnade. Then turn to the left and you'll find the covered way that leads to the Temple. But I'll lend you a boy and a lantern if you like."

Christus shook his head, drained the wine cup, handed it back to the man, tossed him the bridle, and set off. So it was a Temple of the Many Breasted Mother. He felt the snare of some divine will enclosing him. Why had he been spared? Why was he now sent on this strange errand? It would almost have been better to die on the cross than be saved for such a trial.

The darkness was actual enough now. It seemed to grow up around him, thickening like the wound toils of a web, as he stamped his way down the winding path. A glow from somewhere in the precinct aided him. He stubbed his toe on a stone-ridge, and he found himself grasping a square pillar. He was down near the water. He could hear it quietly lapping and suddenly felt its cold breath. Why hadn't he waited for the boy with the lantern?

But he knew why he hadn't waited. He had to get through with this affair alone. A companion would ask questions, would be appalled at his actions, would be an impossible drag, even if told to wait at a distance he would probably sneak in the rear.

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## JOE LOUIS SIGNS TERMS TO MEET KING LEVINSKY

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However, since his defeat at the hands of Baer, Levinsky has engaged in numerous "comeback" bouts, and has won all the majority of the knockout route. Experts anticipate that the fight will be a slugfest pure and simple in view of the punch which both have possessed. Louis, because of his win over Carners, will naturally be favourite.

# SURPRISES FEATURE U.S. BASEBALL

## Browns Win Over Athletics

## SENATORS TAME TIGERS IN HIGH SCORING GAME

New York, To-day. Following a day's rest, there were several surprises in the American Baseball League yesterday, the Browns defeating the Athletics by a 7 to 2 margin, while Wesley Ferrell obtained his second "shut-out" of the season to blank Chicago for a Red Sox win by 7 clear runs. No fewer than 23 runs were scored in the game between the Tigers, 1934 pennant winners, and the Senators, which the latter very surprisingly won.

Charlie Gehring secured his 14th circuit-clout of the season in this match. In the National League the Giants retained their lead by swamping the Pirates, while the Cubs beat the Braves by two runs. Wally Berger hitting his 17th four-bagger of the season.

Results, as cable by Reuter, were:

	R.	H.	E.
New York	10	15	1
Pittsburgh	3	5	2

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	4	9	2
Wally Berger hit a homer.			
Chicago	6	10	0

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	12	1
Philadelphia	2	8	1

## Tables To Date

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	P.	W.	L.	Avg.
New York	70	43	27	.614
Detroit	76	44	30	.578
Chicago	66	38	30	.545
Cleveland	72	39	33	.541
Boston	73	39	34	.534
Philadelphia	71	32	39	.450
Washington	71	31	40	.436
St. Louis	55	19	36	.345

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	P.	W.	L.	Avg.
New York	71	48	23	.676
Philadelphia	75	44	31	.573
St. Louis	71	40	31	.567
Pittsburgh	75	41	34	.546
Chicago	73	39	34	.534
Brooklyn	72	35	37	.486
Cincinnati	70	32	38	.457
Boston	74	21	52	.283

## TO-DAY'S "NEEDLE" TENNIS MATCH IN "C" DIVISION

(Continued from Page 4.)

The K.C.C., who suffered a rude shock at the hands of the Indians recently, encounter Craigengower at home and an even clash should be witnessed.

## Craigengower Danger

Locke and Hanson, who are the backbone of the visitors, should cause the K.C.C. much anxiety as they are equal if not better than Watson and Capell, the K.C.C. first string. The holders, the C.R.C., meet the Indians at Sookunpoo where a lively session is expected. Following their win over the K.C.C., anything is likely to happen, and it will cause no surprise if the Indians beat the champions.

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E/Asia	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 6	Feb. 15		
E/Canada	Feb. 11	Feb. 13	Feb. 16	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	Mar. 1		
E/Russia	Feb. 25	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 5	Mar. 14		
E/Japan	Mar. 6	Mar. 8	Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 24		
E/Asia	Mar. 20	Mar. 22	Mar. 24	Mar. 26	Mar. 28	Apr. 6		
E/Canada	Apr. 3	Apr. 5	Apr. 17	Apr. 19	Apr. 21	Apr. 22		
E/Russia	Apr. 17	Apr. 19	Apr. 21	Apr. 23	Apr. 25	May 4		
E/Japan	May 1	May 3	May 13	May 15	May 17	May 19		
E/Asia	May 13	May 15	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23		
E/Canada	May 28	May 31	June 1	June 3	June 5	June 12		
E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 29		
E/Japan	June 26	June 28	July 1	July 3	July 5	July 9		
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 27		
E/Canada	July 24	July 26	July 28	July 30	Aug. 1	Aug. 12		
E/Russia	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Aug. 11	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 24		
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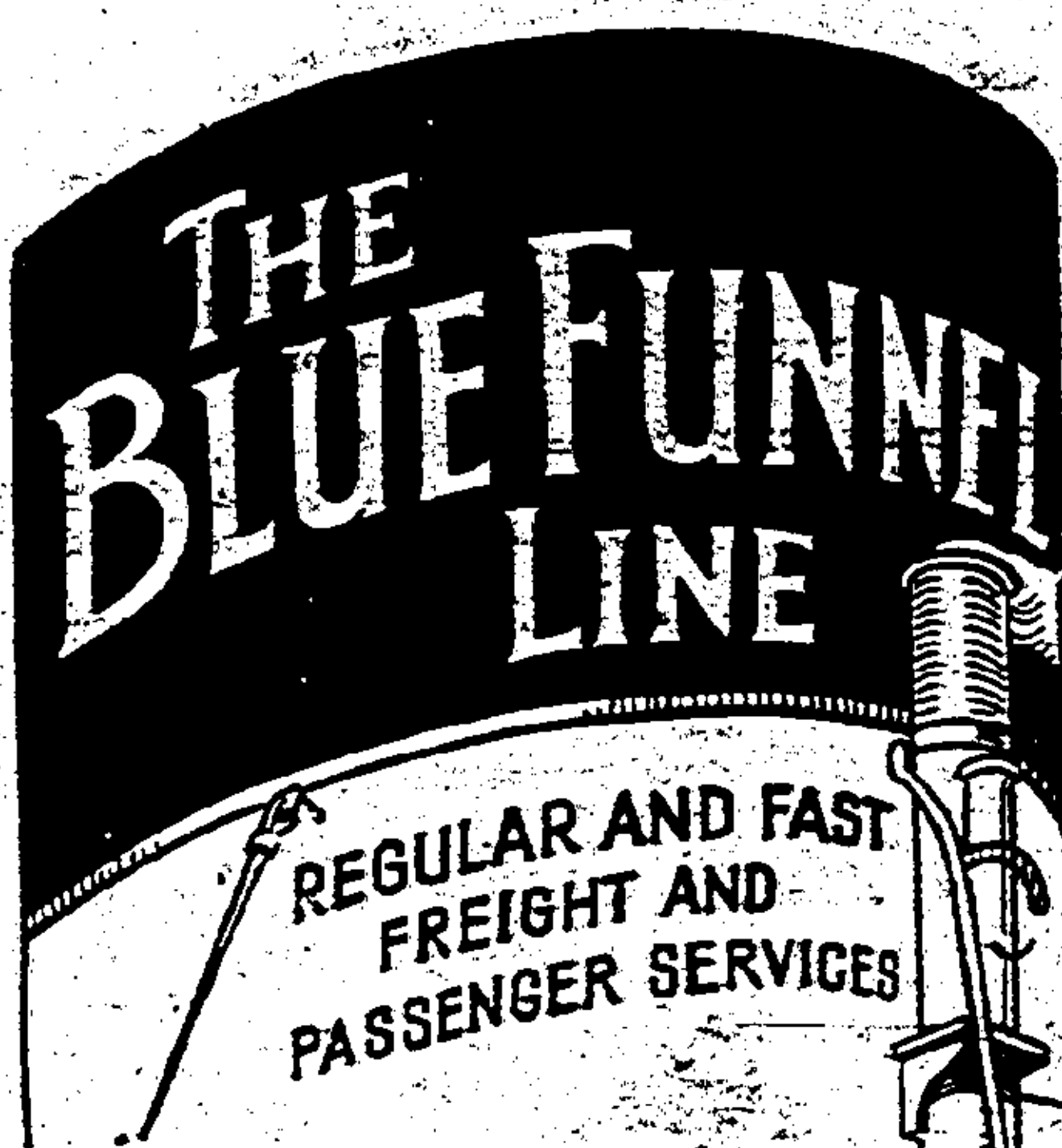
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## COMMANDER OF BOCCA TIGRIS FORTS RESIGNS RESIGNATION REJECTED

### ENQUIRY INTO CONDITION OF GUNS ORDERED

(From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, To-day.

Major-General Li Chih-chee's resignation from the post of commandant of the Bocca Tigris forts has been rejected by General Chen Chi-tang, Commander-in-Chief, who, it is learned to-day, has instructed his subordinate to make a full report of the conditions of the guns and the personnel.

This enquiry is necessary in view of the failure of the forts to prevent the escape of the Hai Chi and Hai Shen, the runaway cruisers. There was an exchange of fire between the shore batteries and the fleeing warships, which were able to make the open sea without being hit by the shots from the forts.

It is said that the forts did not intend to register any direct hit against the Hai Chi and Hai Shen for fear of sinking them, since there was no national loss if the cruisers were placed under the direct control of the Nanking Military Commission. The two ships are due to arrive at Nanking sometime to-day.

Several vernacular papers stated this morning that the cruiser Chao Ho at Whampoa will proceed to Hong Kong for repairs. With the desertion of the Hai Chi and Hai Shen, the Chao Ho is the biggest warship in the Canton Navy and is being used as a training ship for naval cadets.

## INVESTITURE AT THE PALACE GALLANTRY AT SEA REWARDED

London, To-day.

His Majesty the King had an investiture at Buckingham Palace yesterday. The popular comedy actor Seymour Hicks and Arthur Pugh, former chairman of the Trades Union Council, received Knighthoods, and decorations for gallantry were bestowed upon the members of the crew of the liner Ascania, which went to the assistance of the steamship Usworth when the latter foundered in an Atlantic gale last December, for their part in a "skillfully accomplished, heroic and remarkable rescue."

The King handed to Mrs. Gibson Albert the medal awarded to her late son, who was the cook on the Usworth, for his bravery. Gibson was drowned when trying to save a shipmate. The King expressed sympathy with the mother and commended her son's heroism—British Wireless Service.

## RESTORATION OF GREEK MONARCHY HIGHLY PROBABLE

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In the course of the Paris Soir interview, ex-King George emphasised strongly that a true restoration could not be regarded as the triumph of an idea, and still less of a party, but must be the expression of a free desire on the part of the whole people. Concluding, the ex-King repeated: "As we sit in Athens—if the Greek people wish it."

GEN. KONDYLIS IN ROME  
A message from Rome states that General Kondylis was received by Signor Mussolini yesterday in private audience which lasted over an hour. The conversation was exceptionally cordial—Trans-Ocean Service.

CHEERS IN ASSEMBLY  
Athens, Later.

The Assembly by a large majority voted for a plebiscite on the question of the restoration of the monarchy, and then, with cheers for ex-King George, adjourned until the end of October. The plebiscite will be held before November 15.—Reuter.

## ABYSSINIA APPEALS FOR MUNITIONS

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Great reserve is maintained regarding M. Avenol's visit to London, but it is believed that one of the main purposes is to urge the Powers to make every possible effort to reach a solution before the problem comes before the League.

CABINET MEETING  
London, To-day.

At the meeting of the Cabinet yesterday it is understood that the Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, discussed with his colleagues the review of international affairs which he will make in the House of Commons to-day.

One of the subjects with which he will deal is the situation arising from the dispute between Italy and Abyssinia, the gravity of which is fully recognised in official quarters and reflected in newspaper comment. There is, however, no disposition to regard the efforts for a peaceful settlement as exhausted or nearing an end.

Answering a question in the House of Commons which referred to the situation which would arise if Italy were to resort to war, the Minister for the League of Nations, Mr. Anthony Eden, said: "Such a situation has not yet arisen and I earnestly trust will not arise. His Majesty's Government are determined to continue their endeavours in co-operation with the Governments of other countries to bring about a settlement of this dispute by peaceful means."—British Wireless Service.

## NO SALARIES SINCE APRIL FOR TEACHERS

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### NO CASH AVAILABLE UNTIL MIDDLE OF MONTH

(From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, To-day.

The agitations of the municipal school teachers for payment of their salaries for April, May and June have yielded no results. A section chief of the Municipal Bureau of Education stated yesterday afternoon that no funds would be available until after July 15. The demand of the teachers to have half salaries for April has also been turned down owing to financial stringency.

Many teachers who want to go back to their villages to spend the three-months' vacation are unable to leave owing to lack of travelling expenses. They also need money to meet rent, servants' wages and other expenditure.

One teacher said that official reports of the Canton Municipal Government indicated a balance of income and expenditure and wondered why no money was available for the salaries of the needy teachers. Other teachers question the possibility of educational advancement and improvement when the school masters and mistresses have not received any money for the last three months.

It is learned that the financial difficulty is due to decreasing municipal revenues and special appropriations for new items.

## THE ADVENTUROUS "ROMANCE"

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aback once in a gale with a sudden shift of wind, but thanks to the strong masts and stays, only broke one reefing claw. I hope my bad luck of head gales and calm is now over, and I look for a quick run to Vancouver."

less Service.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE  
Addis Ababa, To-day.

An official communique states that Ethiopia has demanded the immediate convocation of the Council of the League of Nations to consider the Italo-Abyssinian dispute.

An Abyssinian note to the British, French and Belgian Ministers expresses surprise to learn that orders have been given in certain cases to refuse to supply arms to Ethiopia, and that in other cases export licences have been refused. It hopes that the Governments concerned, after examining the question, will no longer oppose the supply and export of arms necessary for the defence of the integrity and independence of Ethiopia.—Reuter.

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